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## Trend of Today's Markets

Stocks heavy. Bonds lower. Cotton quiet. Wheat lower. Corn higher.

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## MADRID ARMY REPELS TWO ATTACKS BY INSURGENTS

Fascists Reported to Have Suffered Heavy Losses in Fighting on Their Left Flank Northwest of the Capital.

## GOVERNMENT MEN CAPTURE 6 TANKS

After Battle, Besiegers Open Artillery Bombardment of Center of City—Shell Falls Near Telephone Building.

By the Associated Press.

MADRID, Dec. 21.—Insurgent artillery batteries opened a bombardment of Madrid today, four shells falling in the center of the capital. One shell struck near the telephone building, the tallest commercial structure in Spain.

Government troops took up strong positions west of the capital, after holding off, in fighting yesterday and today, insurgents trying to advance on the Fascist left flank.

At Pozuelo, Villanueva, Delgado and Valdemorillo the Madrid defenders strengthened their lines for 12 miles along the strategic El Escorial highway, which leads to the Guadarrama Mountains.

The Fascists were repulsed with heavy losses in two charges, begun simultaneously against the Northwest front line of defense, the Government reported. The loyalists captured six tanks which they exhibited in Madrid.

Gen. Francisco Franco, the insurgent commander, appeared to be bringing up reserves to strengthen his left wing in readiness for a drive on El Escorial highway.

A victory there would open the road from the Guadarrama to the insurgent forces which have been blocked at the mountain passes since the first few weeks of the war.

Government artillery fired on the Fascist concentrations, seeking to reduce the potential danger which the Government recognizes in that direction.

The Government took advantage of the after-the-battle lull to prepare for an attack on the insurgent right flank south of the city.

Gen. Franco's position now lies roughly in the angle formed by the Madrid-El Escorial road on the northwest and the Madrid-Aranjuez road almost due south.

An insurgent cavalry charge near Aranjuez yesterday, the Government said, was repulsed.

It was reported from Barcelona the Fascist cruiser Canarias shelled the small town of Culera on the Catalan coast, but the range was poor and the explosives fell into the nearby mountains without doing any damage.

Four insurgent planes also were said to have taken part in the attack on Culera, as well as Portbou, near the French border. The reports said several bombs fell two miles within French territory.

## HAILE SELASSIE OFFERS SILVER PLATE FOR SALE

16,000 Ounces, Including Many Pieces Bearing Royal Crest, in Collection.

LONDON, Dec. 21.—Thousands of pieces of silver plate were offered for sale today by Emperor Haile Selassie of Ethiopia.

The Emperor, who is living near Bath after leaving his kingdom with the fall of Addis Ababa to the Italians, did not attend the sale.

The collection included 16,000 ounces of silver in various forms, of which many were plates marked with the royal crest and Amharic lettering.

A service of meat and pudding dishes weighed 7000 ounces. Another contained 300 knives and forks.

One series of 24 plates was mounted with gold and silver coin, each plate representing a different country.

Heavy Weather Delays Liners.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—Heavy weather at sea today delayed 3500 passengers on the way home for Christmas at home, and threatened to hold up holiday mail from abroad too long for distribution by Friday. The Filadelfia and Konigsberg, due today, the Aquitania, Ansonia, Deutschland, Champlain and Europa, due tomorrow; the Manhattan and the Normandie, due Wednesday, were held up 24 hours.

## GIVES \$10,000,000 TO HELP BRITAIN'S 'DEPRESSED AREAS'

Baron Nuffield, Auto Manufacturer, to Finance Measure to Stimulate Employment.

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, Dec. 21.—Baron Nuffield, wealthy British automobile manufacturer, donated £2,000,000 (\$10,000,000) today to stimulate employment in Great Britain's poverty-stricken "depressed areas."

The Baron, who is chairman of Morris Motors, Ltd., explained he wanted to "give practical shape to current expressions of goodwill toward King George and at the same time do something I can to support the National Government, particularly Prime Minister Stanley Baldwin."

He gave four trustees full discretion for use of the capital to initiate measures "likely to give employment to those living in depressed areas and for the social benefit of the areas."

Baron Nuffield (William Morris) is head of a vast manufacturing organization including automobile plants, export companies, a publishing house and affiliated subsidiaries.

A year ago he contributed \$150,000 to assist unemployed workmen and only last October gave \$10,000,000 to Oxford University for the development of medical research. Recently he set aside \$5,000,000 in stock for the benefit of his employees.

## WIFE KILLED IN FIRE AFTER QUARREL WITH HUSBAND

Arkansas Chiropractor Charged With Murder; She Is Said to Have Accused Him.

By the Associated Press.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Dec. 21.—E. E. Grover, 46-year-old Hot Springs chiropractor, will be given a preliminary hearing today on a murder charge for the death yesterday of his wife, 35, who died in a hospital four hours after she was burned in a fire which swept a room she occupied at a rooming house. Police said that she cried over and over before death "He did it, he did it."

Police quoted the rooming house proprietor as saying that he heard the couple quarreling in the room two hours before the blaze.

"I heard Mrs. Grover scream, 'Don't do that, you're hurting me,' the proprietor is quoted as saying. Investigating officers were said to have found burned matches on the springs of the blazing mattress where Mrs. Grover was discovered by roomers, who broke into the room. Grover was not there then, police said.

The Grovers had been separated for three weeks while the chiropractor was in Norman, Ark.

## MRS. EINSTEIN DIES; WIFE OF NOTED GERMAN SCIENTIST

In Ill Health for Year at Princeton, N. J.; Husband Gives No Details.

By the Associated Press.

PRINCETON, N. J., Dec. 21.—Mrs. Elsa Einstein, German scientist, died yesterday at their home here after a year's illness, it was disclosed today.

Her illness became serious six weeks ago and for the last two weeks she had been in a state of almost continuous coma.

Dr. Albert Einstein, her husband, declined to make public any information except that burial would be this afternoon. He is on the staff of the Institute for Advanced Study here. Mrs. Einstein was his cousin and his second wife.

The death certificate gave myocarditis (inflammation of the heart) as the cause of death.

## FAIR TONIGHT AND TOMORROW; LITTLE TEMPERATURE CHANGE

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## STEEL WORKERS FORM COUNCIL TO PUSH CIO DRIVE

244 Delegates Said to Represent 290,000 in 42 Mills East of Cleveland, Organize.

## TO FIGHT FOR END OF COMPANY UNIONS

50 Pct. of Leaders in Such Employee Groups Reported Co-operating With the Amalgamated.

By the Associated Press.  
PITTSBURGH, Pa., Dec. 21.—A new organization of steel workers was formed here yesterday by 244 men who said they represented 290,000 workers in 42 mills east of Cleveland. The chief purpose of the group—known as the Committee for Industrial Organization's Representatives Council—is to eliminate the company union from the steel industry.

All delegates to the organization meeting pledged support to the campaign to enlist the country's 500,000 steel workers in one big union—the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel & Tin Workers.

Phillip Murray, chairman of the Committee for Industrial Organization, said more than 50 per cent of the 3000 company representatives in the nation's mills "not only are members of the union but also co-operate in the administration of the steel industry."

If the steel industry continues its "dog in the manger" attitude—refusing to negotiate with a legitimate union of its workers—then the responsibility for whatever befalls can rest squarely at their doorsteps.

He said about 128,000 in the steel industry have joined the Amalgamated Association.

Delegates to the meeting made plans for a national convention of steel men in Pittsburgh next spring "to formulate a policy and make demands upon the steel industry for recognition of the Amalgamated."

They called for \$5 a day minimum wage for all labor, and \$12.50 a day increase for employees receiving more than \$12 a 30-hour week; paid vacations after two years' service; time and a half for overtime and double time for Sunday and holiday work.

Resolutions of the new group also termed wage increases of about 20 per cent for a month ago as "inadequate and unsatisfactory," and pledged the delegates to "go back to our mills and actively engage in enrolling members" in the industrial union campaign.

## 8 PUERTO RICANS DENIED BAIL IN APPEAL ON REVOLT CHARGE

Brandels Rejects Application After Referring It to Supreme Court.

PRINCETON, Dec. 21.—Eight Puerto Ricans convicted of conspiracy to incite an armed revolt on the island lost today in the Supreme Court in their effort to win freedom on bail pending an appeal.

The application for bail, which was submitted to Justice Brandels, was referred by him to the whole court and returned to him for decision. He denied the application.

The men, Pedro Albizu Campos, Juan Antonio Corretjer, Luis F. Velasquez, Clemente Soto Velez, Erasmo Velasquez, Juan Gallardo Santiago and Pablo Rosado Ortiz, were convicted in the Federal District Court for Puerto Rico July 31. They were sentenced to serve terms ranging from four to six years in prison.

The Puerto Ricans contended in a citation of errors against the trial court that "three of the jurymen had fraudulently concealed their prejudice and bias." The government contended the Supreme Court was without power to grant bail.

## MORE CHRISTMAS BONUSES

One New York Company Gives Employees 15 Weeks' Salary.

By the Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—Mark Cross Co. will give employees a Christmas bonus based on company profits, President Gerald Murphy announced today. The company, retailer of leather and other specialty goods, will also give its 200 employees a holiday, Dec. 26.

Thomas Publishing Co., publisher of Thomas' Register and Industrial Equipment News, gave employees a bonus averaging 15 weeks' regular salary. G. C. Murphy Co., chain store operator in the East and Midwest, announced employee Christmas bonuses totaling \$150,000.

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## Government Grenade-Thrower in Trench Outside Madrid



SCENE on the defense lines near the Spanish capital. The loyalist soldier is about to hurl the explosive into the Fascist rebel trenches.

## MUENCHES, JONES TO BE SENTENCED NEXT SATURDAY

Continued From Page One.

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"Just a Little Trick."

The sixth count was based on a letter dated July 21, 1935, from Jones to Mrs. Grace Thomason, Government witness and confessed participant in the mail fraud, in which he asked her to send him some stationery from a Chicago hotel, adding "just a little trick that may detect a leak in some line."

The seventh and eighth counts also were letters from Jones to Mrs. Thomason in which were discussed details of the procurement of a baby to be palmed off as Anna Ware's child, after the real Ware baby had been taken from the Muenches.

The final count was based on a letter to Jones from Mrs. Lily Glendon, of Newtown, Pa., former employer of Anna Ware and wife of the man who was father of the girl's child. In this letter Mrs. Glendon told Jones of arrangements made to send the girl here to give birth to her baby, and urged Jones to make her agree to the adoption of the child.

While the Government did not contend that Mrs. Glendon was a party to the mail fraud, it successfully maintained that the letter was a part of the plot and admissible under the allegation that the parties to the conspiracy "mailed or caused to be mailed" the letters set out in the indictment.

After the jury had been discharged, Foreman Frey told reporters that it took only two ballots. It was unanimous on the first, but was divided as to the counts on which they were guilty. Beginning deliberations at 8:30 the jurors discussed their verdict without further voting for three hours, when they sent a note to Judge Moore asking additional instructions.

Judge Rereads Instructions.

Although the contents of the note were not made public, it was apparent the jury had asked for instruction on conspiracy, which was a necessary element of the mail fraud plot, and on the question whether the defendants could be found guilty on some counts and not guilty on others. The jury was taken to the courtroom at 12:15 and Judge Moore reread his instructions on these two points. The jury retired again and less than an hour later was ready with its verdict. Altogether it deliberated 4 hours and 45 minutes, taking only two ballots, the latter of which was unanimous on the verdict returned in court.

Members of Jury That Convicted Mail Fraud Defendants.

Members of the jury in the Muench mail fraud trial were:

A. W. Frey, 41 years old, department manager of the Shell Petroleum Corporation, 6736 Bartmer avenue, foreman.

William R. Henshaw, 54, candy salesman, 3210A North Twenty-third street.

Julian Letwice, 30, refrigerator service man, 3963 Gratiot street.

Russell Sown, 34, teller for the Mercantile-Commerce Bank and Trust Co., 4040 McKee avenue.

John A. Hecker, director of purchases of Curtis Manufacturing Co., 7089 Lindell avenue, University City.

W. T. Copeland, salesman, 3030 Page boulevard.

J. E. Nahlik, 52, a farmer of

House Springs.

Leroy Stokes, 54, a farmer of Meta.

Cliff Burrus, 36, a farmer of Bunker.

Paul Faerber, 44, a farmer of Hermann.

Otto Neumann, 55, a farmer of Cuba.

August Dothage, a farmer of Drake.

The alternate juror was George W. Jacobi, 58, carpenter and builder, 4945 Lilburn avenue.

## CHAIN GROCERY LOSES APPEAL ON INDIANA MILK BOARD ORDER

Supreme Court Dismisses Petition Alleging Company Would Have to Raise Price.

By the Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—An attack by the Kroger Grocery & Baking Co. on an order of the Indiana Milk Control Board which the former said would compel it to increase by 1-cent a quart the price of milk to consumers in Fort Wayne and vicinity was dismissed today by the Supreme Court.

A three-judge Federal District Court in Indiana had dismissed the bill of complaint on the ground that the amount of money involved was less than the \$3000 required to give Federal courts jurisdiction. The grocery company said the order would deprive customers of "any saving from their use of the cash and carry system of purchasing milk."

In a two-page order, on which the vote was not given, the court said: "In order to support its contention, complainant seeks to capitalize its earnings and thus to arrive at the value of the part of the business affected by the order. But that basis of ascertaining a capital loss is not available to complainant here, as the statute, and with it the order, expire by limitation on July 3, 1937. The hurt by reason of the regulation does not appear to be greater than the loss sustained while the statute is in operation. The decree of the District Court is affirmed."

## ALLEGES \$12,000,000 LOSS TO STOCKHOLDERS IN DEAL

David Schenker, SEC Counsel, and D. M. Milton Disagree at Hearing on Equity.

By the Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—The statement that preferred stock holders of 12 corporations surrendered \$12,000,000 in liquidation rights when they entered the Equity Corporation was made before the Securities Commission today by commission counsel David Schenker.

David M. Milton, son-in-law of John D. Rockefeller Jr., and head of Equity, a Jersey City investment trust, testified that \$33,902,202 of preferred stock of the subsidiaries was turned in for \$21,638,601 of preferred stock of Equity Corporation. He gave its asset value at the time as \$24,689,465.

Schenker asserted the exchange deprived preferred stock holders of all right to recover \$33,902,202 paid in for the subsidiaries' preferred in the event of a rising market. Milton insisted that Schenker's assertions were merely hypothetical.

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## MRS. SIMPSON GIVES AUDIENCE BUT NO NEWS

Host, However, Says She Will Stay at Cannes Several Months, Not See Edward Until Spring.

By the Associated Press.  
CANNES, France, Dec. 21.—Mrs. Wallis Warfield Simpson has cleared away some of the speculation surrounding her immediate future with a plain indication she would not see the Duke of Windsor until her divorce is absolute.

The statement that Mrs. Simpson was remaining at her haven in Cannes for "several months," and "there is absolutely no possibility" she will see Edward until spring, was made yesterday by Herman Rogers, her Riviera host, as Mrs. Simpson held a formal press conference for the first time in her life.

In the end it turned out to be more of a social reception than an interview. Mrs. Simpson discussed the beauty of the Riviera, the weather and the dangers of driving over mountain roads.

With a gracious air, she joined in the general conversation in the gardens of Mr. and Mrs. Rogers' villa, Lou Viel, but she left it to her host and spokesman to answer the two questions all the world was asking:

When would she see the Duke of Windsor?

Quiet About Wedding.

The answer to the first was not "for several months" and to the second only silence.

Rogers declined to discuss any marriage plans, but he left the impression she would join the former King after April and shortly afterward become his Duchess of Windsor.

Under the Mediterranean sunshine the talk turned to Christmas and Christmas trees. No tree was planned for the small household, and the Rogerses, Mrs. Simpson and Mrs. D. B. Merryman, her "Aunt Bessie," will have a quiet family Christmas party.

Mrs. Simpson, composed and seemingly in excellent spirits, seemed amused at some of the reports of her comings and goings and when the group broke up, smilingly announced:

"Perhaps you would be interested to know—that I shall go for a drive this afternoon."

How She Was Dressed.

Mrs. Simpson wore a tight-fitting sky-blue sport skirt and an open-throated blue-and-brown plaid jacket over a deep blue pull-over sweater. Her alligator skin oxfords had medium height walking heels.

A brooch she wore at the neck of her sweater resembled the three-feathered insignia of former King Edward when he was the Prince of Wales. It was an arrangement of alternating light and dark blue petals and was complemented by earrings to match.

She wore one broad ring covered with sparkling stones and a gold chain bracelet from which dangled six little emerald and amethyst crosses.

She shows no distinguishable accent, although it is more American than British, and more Southern than Northern.

Unauthorized persons caught on the chateau grounds were fined two shillings (about 37 cents) each. About 50 paid.

Robbery Suspects Arrested.

Toilet articles and a wrist watch, valued at \$25, found last night in the possession of two men who were arrested in the 2100 block of South Broadway, later were identified by Joseph Lowenstein as property taken from his jewelry store at 1236 South Broadway where they had been on display. The window of the store had been broken.

Child Bitten by Kat Dies.

By the Associated Press.  
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## BOARD ABRUPTLY ENDS INQUIRY ON PRISON SUPPLIES

Takes Stand It Has No Authority to Investigate a Member, Parole Commissioner Bryant.

By the Jefferson City Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.  
JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 21.—The State Penal Board's investigation of some of the affairs of the institution under its control collapsed today, so far as it concerned the handling of penitentiary subsistence supplies and the withdrawal of such supplies by prison officials and employees for their own use, when the board took the position it had no legal power to investigate one of the board members.

The decision, announced after a three-hour state chamber conference by two of the board members with Attorney-General McKittick, abruptly terminated the series of hearings, which has been in progress before the board at intervals since last Dec. 7.

Earlier Announcement.

McKittick, who has been conducting the inquiry for the board, had announced that the hearing today would be devoted to testimony concerning alleged improper withdrawals of subsistence supplies from the commissaries of the penitentiary and the state intermediate reformatory by State Parole Commissioner George D. Bryant, a member of the board. McKittick has declared these withdrawals were not authorized by law.

McKittick, acting as spokesman for the board, said the hearing "off" so far as Bryant was concerned. It was indicated there would be no further hearings of any sort.

McKittick said he might continue an independent investigation of his own, "but that depends on developments in the Col. Bryant matter." After a preliminary investigation, McKittick recently announced he would make official demand on Bryant for repayment to the State of several hundred dollars for supplies. Bryant has said his requisitions were authorized by the board, his allowance being \$30 a month.

Others Also Got Supplies.

The other two board members, Stephen B. Hunter, director of penal institutions and board chairman, and Farm Commissioner Paul Renz, who have been sitting in the hearings, in effect as judges, also have received subsistence allowances by board action, but this fact had not been put in evidence in the hearings. Hunter was authorized to draw up to \$75 a month and Renz \$30. Renz has utilized his allowance only since last March.

Board members and counsel involved in the hearing had declined to comment on reports that there was some disposition to drop the hearing, without going into all the subsistence allowances since conclusion last Friday of that phase of the investigation relating to the management of the intermediate reformatory, subsistence withdrawals by its superintendent, Guy W. McLain, and punishment inflicted on inmates. McLain has contended the board authorized him to receive

## AUTOMOBILE MAKERS REPORT NO TIRED, DESPITE STRIKES

Major Operations Being Continued, They Say; Shortage of Parts Reported.

By the Associated Press.  
DETROIT, Dec. 21.—Major automobile companies said today that production was resumed on full schedule after customary week-end shutdowns, although sources close to the industry said strikes in parts plants had caused serious shortages of supplies.

The Ford Motor Co. said its Rouge plant, where 87,000 men are employed, was operating normally. The night shift there was unable to work Friday night because of a shortage of brake drums and shoes supplied by the Kelsey-Hayes Co., whose workers are on strike. The Ford assembly plant at Cincinnati was closed. The Buffalo (N. Y.) plant curbed operations last week.

Homer Martin, head of the United Automobile Workers of America, telegraphed to William S. Knudsen, General Motors vice-president, a request for a conference today "in view of the present extremely troubled situation in the automobile industry and particularly in reference to General Motors." His telegram said that "the present crisis which makes necessary this conference has been brought about by the flagrant discharge of, and discrimination against, union men in your various plants, and the speed of the line which has been set without consideration for the workers' welfare and the lack of job security through the absence of seniority rights and numerous other complaints."

Freed After Paying Nurses' Bill.

By the Associated Press.  
TUSCON, Ariz., Dec. 21.—Justice D. G. Chalmers said today he had ordered the release of a man sentenced last Wednesday under the name of Thomas Fortune Ryan II of New York to 30 days in jail for vagrancy. The charge followed a claim by three nurses for \$176 in unpaid wages. Justice Chalmers said Ryan was released Saturday night after the bill was paid.

McKittick's Statement.

No hearing was held today, as Hunter and Renz went into conference with McKittick as soon as they reached the Supreme Court building. After three hours reports were admitted. Hunter referred all inquiries to McKittick, who said "the board and myself doubt that the board has power or authority to make any investigation of any kind or character directed against any of its members." He said there would be "no hearing as to Col. Bryant."

He said he had not raised the legal question, but that it was brought up by the board members. McKittick said that, while there was some doubt as to whether the board could investigate one of its own members, he was convinced the board had power to investigate any penitentiary or employee who is a subordinate of the board.

A written opinion will be issued to the Penal Board soon, McKittick said, on the question of whether any subsistence may be allowed by the State to board members or employees. In a recent memorandum the Attorney-General's department held that none of the board members or penal employees was entitled to receive a subsistence allowance.

Archbishop of Westminster Calls for Prayers for the New Sovereign.

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(Dispatches last week reported a Russian ship had been fired on off Gibraltar.)

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### TWO TRIPS MADE TO KATZ DRUG CO.

Manager Arrested Twice —  
Salesman Charged With  
Selling Hat at Kelly Store  
—Other Defendants.

Thirty-seven storekeepers and  
clerks were arrested yesterday by  
police, who had been requested by  
Prosecuting Attorney Finnegan to  
enforce the state law prohibiting  
the Sunday sale of merchandise, ex-  
cept drugs and articles regarded as  
immediate necessities.

The anti-Sunday selling laws are  
incorporated in sections 4351 and  
4352 of the Revised Missouri Stat-  
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Section 4351 states: Every per-  
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goods, wares or merchandise, or  
shall keep open any ale or porter  
house, grocery, or tipping shop or  
shall sell or retail any fermented  
or distilled liquor on the first day  
of the week, commonly called Sun-  
day, shall on conviction be ad-  
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and fined not exceeding \$50.

Section 4352 states: "The last  
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clothing stores and a delicatessen  
as follows:

Harry Jourman, Gravels Fruit Co.,  
644 Gravois avenue; Edward Gell,  
Star Square Auto Supply Co., 5032  
Gravois avenue; August Bruem-  
mer, Star Square Auto Supply Co.,  
3925 West Florissant avenue; Sellig  
Dolgin and his son, Eugene, deli-  
catessen, 4614 Gravois avenue; Rol-  
and Stahner, Gordon Clothing Co.,  
1555 South Broadway; Morris  
Friedman, grocer, 18 North Taylor  
avenue; Ollie Hardy, dry goods  
merchant, 4118 Easton avenue;  
Joseph Stoler, dry goods, 4126 Easton  
avenue; Morris Mestman, gro-  
cer, 799 Bayard avenue; Anthony  
Sarna, grocer, 3963 Delmar boule-  
vard; Simon Sterneck, dry goods,  
103 North Sarah street; Abe Las-  
zoff, fish market, 2802 North New-  
stead avenue; George York, au-  
tomobile accessories, 4750 Easton  
avenue; George Pearlmuter, dry  
goods, 3901 Maffitt avenue; David  
Sokolik, butcher, 5744 Easton av-  
enue; Isaac Drumelwitz, butcher,  
5641 Easton avenue; Aaron Smit-  
ser, grocer, 925 Academy avenue;  
Shannon Lachterman, grocer, 5709  
Westminster place; Abe Komen,  
baker, 5737 Easton avenue, and Ida  
Komen; Ben Sparbur, dry goods,  
1867 Easton avenue; Marman Rich-  
man, baker, 5726 Easton avenue;  
Abe Yevelson, baker, 5802 Easton  
avenue; Abe Sokolik, grocer, 5092  
Page boulevard.

Clothing Company Warrant.  
The Gordon Clothing Co. was also  
arrested in a warrant issued last week.  
Sellig Dolgin and his son, the  
delicatessen operators, were ar-  
rested for selling canned goods in vio-  
lation of the Prosecuting Attorney's  
order, which was that only bread,  
prepared meats and the like may be  
sold on Sunday.

Under Finnegan's order, drug  
stores, bead, disappening drugs,  
emergency repairs.

## Killed in Skidding Auto



—Flannery Bros. Photo.  
**TOP, MISS MARIE HOFF**  
(left, photo by Fox) and  
**MISS HELEN SHANAHAN.**  
Below, **MISS KATHERINE FO-  
LEY.**

## AVIATRIX SHOTS MAN IN AIR, FLEES IN PLANE

Takes Off After Wounded Pilot  
Lands Ship; Cracks Up  
Later on English Coast.

By the Associated Press.

SELSEY, England, Dec. 21.—  
Mme. Marie Schemeder, sought by  
French police as the woman who  
shot her co-pilot in a plane in mid-  
air over Villacoublay, France, yes-  
terday and fled in the ship when  
the wounded man landed it, was  
held on a technical charge today  
after crashing in a field on the  
Sussex coast. She is the wife of a  
French manufacturer.

Pierre L'Allemand, joint owner of  
the airplane with Mme. Schemeder,  
is in a Versailles hospital with a  
bullet wound in the head. He told  
French officers that he was in a  
daze when he landed the ship and  
crawled out, leaving the woman in  
it. She immediately took off again.

Several hours later, after the  
trans-channel trip, she landed in  
a Sussex field, damaging the plane.  
Slightly dazed by a cut in the head,  
she told English officials her name  
was Chappell. She carried no pas-  
sage.

British authorities said they were  
informed by French police Mme.  
Schemeder had shot L'Allemand in  
the back of the head while he was  
making his first flight at the con-  
trols of the plane. A warrant  
charging assault was issued against  
her at Versailles.

Mme. Schemeder was under of-  
ficial observation at a farm house  
near Selsey where doctors kept  
her in bed to recover from shock.  
"She is not seriously ill," a con-  
stable explained, "but it is advisable  
that she remain in bed. She has  
talked by telephone with friends  
in Paris. Other friends from Lon-  
don are with her now."

The motive for the shooting re-  
mained obscure, with the wounded  
man saying only it "was nobody's  
business" but his own.

The woman, the wife of Max  
Schemeder, 60 years old, a wealthy  
machine manufacturer, often flew  
with L'Allemand, airport officials  
said.

Police said they had been told  
L'Allemand was engaged to be mar-  
ried, but this the wounded man re-  
fused to discuss.

**PHYSICIAN AND FATHER FIGHT  
BURGLAR BUT HE GETS AWAY**

Dr. Irwin B. Horwitz Finds Man  
Ransacking Bedroom, Tries  
to Hold Him.

Dr. Irwin B. Horwitz, 5855 Water-  
man avenue, surprised a burglar in  
the act of ransacking a bedroom  
on returning home at 10:20 o'clock  
last night. The man escaped empty  
handed after a fight joined in by  
the physician and his father, Dr.  
Maximilian R. Horwitz.

The intruder was found by the  
younger Dr. Horwitz when he in-  
vestigated a noise on the second  
floor. The man, described as about  
25 years old and "wiry," attempted  
to push by to the stairs, but Dr.  
Horwitz held him. His father went  
to his assistance and the three  
struggled to the stairway and down  
to a landing, where the man broke  
away and fled through a side door.  
The physicians followed him to  
Nina place and lost sight of him  
near the Wabash Railroad tracks.  
They turned over the burglar's hat  
to police.

**Wife Divorces Edward H. Miller.**  
Mrs. Helen Miller, 4497 Pershing  
avenue, obtained a divorce today  
from Edward H. Miller, vice-presi-  
dent of the St. Louis Screw and  
Bolt Co., in Circuit Judge William  
S. Connor's court. She alleged gen-  
eral indignities. A property settle-  
ment was reached but the terms  
were not made public. They were  
married May 16, 1931, and separated  
last Sept. 8. She testified her hus-  
band told her he no longer loved  
her and had frequently gone out  
with other women. She estimated  
his earnings at \$500 a month.

may sell candy, cosmetics and op-  
erate soda fountains. Candy and  
flower stores may remain open; fill-  
ing stations can sell gasoline and  
oil, but no accessories, and automo-  
bile repair shops may make

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## 3 WOMEN KILLED WHEN AUTO SKIDS, HITS STREET CAR

Coupe Crushed Against  
Pole After Driver Loses  
Control on Icy Pavement  
in Oakland Avenue.

Two nurses and an assistant  
dietitian of City Hospital were  
killed at 11:30 a. m. yesterday when  
their automobile skidded on icy  
Oakland avenue, near Kingshigh-  
way, and crashed into a street car,  
which crushed the light coupe  
against a trolley pole.

The dead:  
Miss Marie Hoff, 33 years old,  
dietitian, owner and driver of the  
automobile.  
Miss Katherine Foley, 28, gradu-  
ate of a Wisconsin nursing  
school.  
Miss Helen Shanahan, 36, gradu-  
ate of an Indiana nursing school.

Their bodies remained in the  
wrecked automobile for an hour  
and a half while emergency crews  
of the Public Service Co. and the  
Police Department cut the ma-  
chine apart with hack saws. The  
street car was derailed and could  
not be moved until later.

**Witness' Account.**  
Leo Marazek, 4320 Wyoming  
street, driving west, told police that  
the coupe, driven east at a fast clip,  
swerved near Lawn avenue and  
skidded across the street in front of  
his machine. It jumped the north  
curb, crossed the eastbound street  
car tracks, hit the side of a west-  
bound Forest Park street car and  
was carried against a concrete trol-  
ley pole. The body of one victim  
was forced into the rumble seat and  
that of another was pushed partly  
through the floor of the automo-  
bile.

Price Sterling, 6442 Wise avenue,  
the street car operator, said he did  
not see the machine until it hit the  
car immediately back of the front  
platform. The front wheels of the  
street car were derailed when the  
automobile became wedged between  
the car and the pole.

The women were identified by Dr.  
Avery Rowlette, medical director of  
City Hospital, who was called to the  
scene. The bodies were taken to  
the morgue, and families of the vic-  
tims were notified. The women ap-  
pear to have been returning to the  
hospital after attending church serv-  
ices.

**Swerved, Police Think.**  
Miss Foley was the daughter of  
Dr. and Mrs. F. P. Foley, Dorches-  
ter, Wis. Miss Hoff was the daugh-  
ter of Mrs. A. M. Hoff, La Crosse,  
Wis. Miss Shanahan is survived by  
her brother, M. W. Shanahan of  
Chicago.

Police were of the opinion that  
Miss Hoff swerved to avoid another  
machine and then applied the  
brakes, throwing her car into the  
fatal slide.

Motorists were urged to take ex-  
tra precaution in driving because  
of the icy streets in a statement to-  
day by Mayor Dickmann, who re-  
quested that the Street Department  
be notified of all ice-covered streets  
so that gravel may be spread over  
them.

**U. S. SUPREME COURT TO RULE  
ON FRAZIER-LENKE ACT**

Accepts Appeal From Decision De-  
claring Farm Mortgage Mor-  
atorium Invalid.

By the Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—A  
ruling on litigation involving con-  
stitutionality of the Frazier-Lemke  
Act granting a three-year morat-  
orium on farm mortgage fore-  
closures was promised today by the  
Supreme Court. It agreed to pass  
on an appeal by Robert Page  
Wright of Bedford County, Va.,  
from a decision by the Fourth Cir-  
cuit Court of Appeals holding the  
act unconstitutional. The Circuit  
Court affirmed a decision by the  
Western Virginia Federal District  
Court in favor of the Winton branch  
of the Mountain Trust Bank of  
Roanoke, Va.

Explaining that there had been  
several conflicting decisions on the  
legislation by lower courts, Wright  
said the "necessity for one uniform  
statement of the law is not only ap-  
parent but is an economic neces-  
sity."

A similar five-year moratorium  
measure was declared unconstitutional  
by the Supreme Court on the  
ground that it deprived creditors of  
property rights.

**Research Gift to Missouri U.**  
By the Associated Press.  
COLUMBIA, Mo., Dec. 21.—Fred-  
rick A. Middlebush, president of  
the University of Missouri, today  
announced the Board of Curators  
had accepted a gift of \$500 to fi-  
nance important research conduct-  
ed by Dr. C. W. Turner, associate  
professor of dairy husbandry. The  
gift was made by E. Parmelee  
Prentice of New York, owner of  
the Mount Hope Farms at Wil-  
liamstown, Mass.

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## 3000 ADDED TO POSTOFFICE STAFF FOR CHRISTMAS RUSH

Holiday Mail Estimated by Post-  
master Jackson as the Heaviest  
Since 1930.

About 3000 extra employees have  
been added to the St. Louis Post-  
office staff to supplement the work  
of the regular force of 2700 em-  
ployees in handling the rush of  
Christmas mail, which Postmaster  
W. Rufus Jackson estimated would  
be the heaviest since 1930.

Jackson estimated that postal re-  
ceipts for the period between Dec.  
1 and Dec. 19 were 20 per cent  
greater than during the corre-  
sponding period last year.

The Postmaster announced that  
the Postoffice would continue the  
delivery of Christmas packages on  
Christmas day, although there will  
be no delivery of greeting cards or  
letters, except through special  
delivery service. All postal substations  
will remain open until 6 p. m.  
Christmas eve, but only the main  
Postoffice at Eighteenth and Wal-  
nut streets will be open Christmas  
day.

As in other years, the Postoffice  
is receiving a large number of let-  
ters addressed to Santa Claus, prin-  
cipally from children asking for  
toys. These are turned over to the  
Salvation Army for investigation  
and disposition, Jackson said.

**INDICTED ELECTION OFFICIAL  
RELEASED UNDER \$5000 BOND**

John J. Stevenson, Dining Car  
Waiter, Accused of Vote  
Fraud.

John J. Stevenson, Negro, one  
of the six election officials in the  
First Precinct of the Sixth Ward  
indicted on election fraud felony  
charges, surrendered last Wednes-  
day in the court of Circuit Judge  
Eugene L. Padberg and was re-  
leased on bonds of \$5000, it was  
learned today.

Stevenson, a railroad dining car  
waiter, lives at 2823 Clark avenue.  
He was out of the city at the time  
of his indictment.

Sixty of the 68 persons in-  
dicted on election fraud charges by  
the September grand jury have now  
given bond. One of the other six  
is dead, and the other five have  
not been apprehended.

**6 KILLED WHEN TENEMENT  
COLLAPSES IN PHILADELPHIA**

16 Other Persons Injured; Some  
Trapped in Wreckage as Fire  
Breaks Out.

By the Associated Press.  
PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Dec. 21.—  
A three-story brick tenement hous-  
ing five families collapsed here  
yesterday, killing six Negroes.

At least 16 others were injured  
when the walls of the 11-room  
building bulged outward and fell,  
trapping occupants and tearing  
down part of an adjoining house.

Flames broke out twice in the  
wreckage. They were extinguished  
quickly the first time, but later  
swept along rafters that pinned the  
trapped victims and hindering the  
rescue work. Screams and moans  
of the victims directed the firemen  
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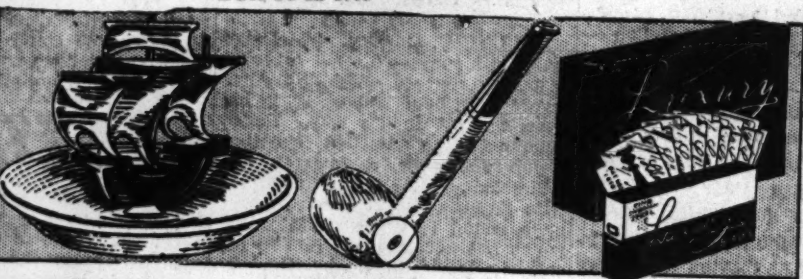
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30 for \$1

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Projects 16 mm. movie films. Wide 2.19

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37-in. streamlined "Hawthorn" En- 1

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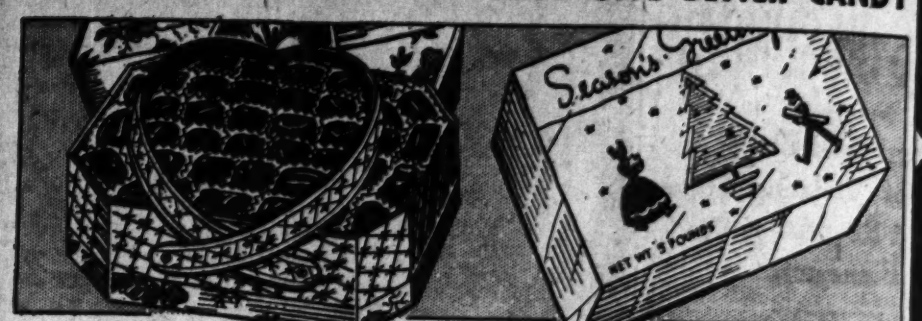
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The pick of our very finest chocolates is in this beautiful gift box. Butter cream Caramels, Nut-Filled Neapoles, Luscious Creams and many others in rich chocolate coating.

## KUPPER FAMILY BOX

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A big five pound box of exceptionally good candy at an attractive price. Delicious creams, caramels, nut clusters with milk and mild bittersweet coating.



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LB. BOX 85c

One of the most popular gift packages. Selected fine quality candy.

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LB. BOX 65c

Chocolate coated nuts, but- ter creams, pecan nougats, pineapple cubes, ginger bites and many others.

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LB. BOX 35c

Our very finest cherries... great big ones in cordial and whipped cream.

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9 1/2-OZ. BOX 45c

Finest selected Pecans, Brazils, Almonds and Pecan Clusters with smooth milk-chocolate coating.

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48 PIECES 1 LB. 29c

Really different! Fluffy and mellow—flavored with the finest mint. Mild bitter sweet chocolate coating.

2-LB. BOX 75c



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POUND BOX 39c

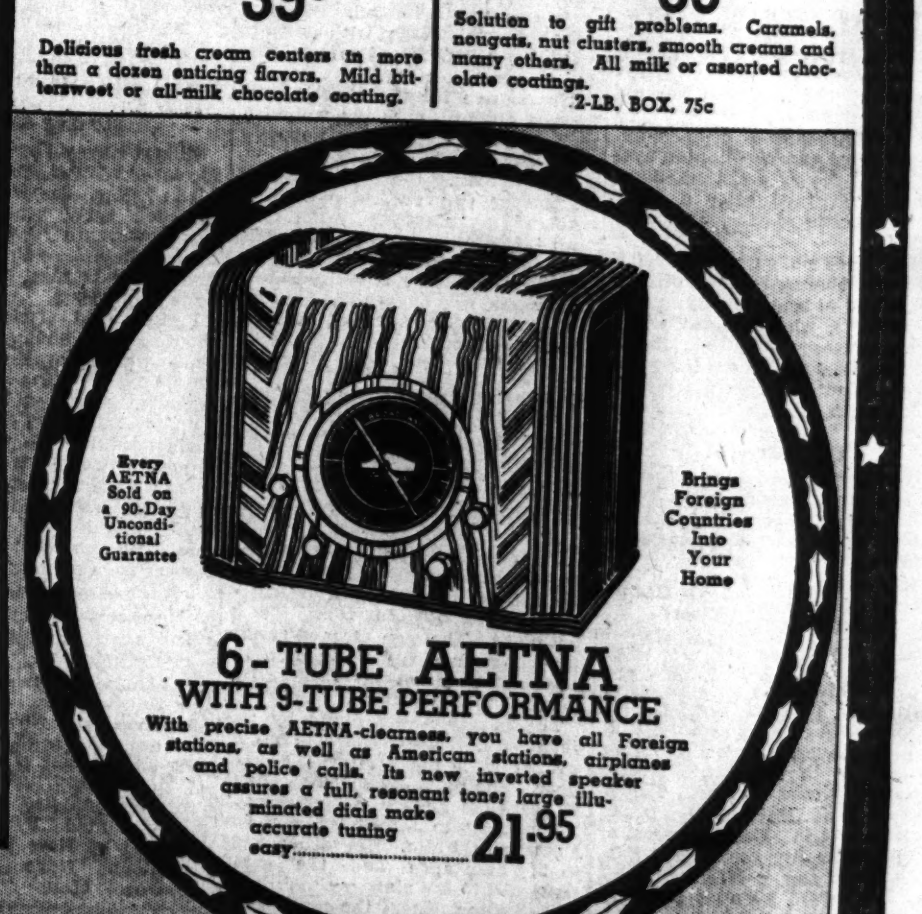
Delicious fresh cream centers in more than a dozen enticing flavors. Mild bittersweet or all-milk chocolate coating.

Assorted Chocolates

POUND BOX 39c

Solution to gift problems. Caramels, nougats, nut clusters, smooth creams and many others. All milk or assorted chocolate coatings.

2-LB. BOX 75c



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Grand gift for those who have to get up ON TIME! Ivory with gold or gunmetal with silver. Smart new design.

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IVORY FINISH 1.89

A gift that will really be appreciated by the housewife. Gets ALL the juice in the quickest time. Strains as it extracts.

## TAXICAB INSURANCE TEST CASE

Careful Co. Owns Says Enforcement Him Out of

A hearing was held before Judge John W. Joynt on the injunction sought by Cab Co., a Negro taxicab company, against enforcement of the provisions of the distance requiring ordinance which have liability insurance bonds for the protection of passengers or other clients.

The matter has been in court since last June. Joynt issued a temporary order against the company, the city filed a motion to dissolve the restraining order. The restraining order was overruled by Judge Joynt. At the time, three persons were uninsured taxicabs.

At the hearing today, the proprietor of the Cab Co., testified that he has been unable to obtain insurance because the prohibitive, and, if added, expenses of between a month, would put him out of business. He has operated 35 cars owned 16 and leased 19. Austin testified that \$25 a month paid to the company but of the Careful Cab name, he had actually been legal expenses in the temporary restraining order to build up a reserve. The company, at present had only four small doubtful nature.

William Watters, a mail carrier, testified he had formerly operated Careful Cab name. The company \$25 a month, a lawyer, representing the company, was to be used for said he withdrew his company last October was obtaining no insurance for his \$25 a month.

In answer to Austin's testimony that liability insurance taxicabs were prohibited, a lawyer, representing the company, testified his company this insurance for a month, provided an operator kept \$50 a month premium payments to the first \$50 in claims. Austin was asked why his company had been involved in specific accidents, and he recalled the first one man was killed. Knowledge of the four persons were involved. At the conclusion of Judge Joynt took the testimony, giving the company three days to file briefs and the city an additional three reply briefs.

## 'SIT-DOWN' STRIKERS SERMONS, B

One of Fisher Body Plant at Kansas City, Mo. By the Associated Press. KANSAS CITY, Mo. The "sit-down" strikers at the Fisher Body plant at two sermons yesterday. A chicken-and-egg.



MONDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1936 ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH PAGE

# Stix, Baer & Fuller ♦ Downstairs Store

THE CHRISTMAS STORE ★ ★ ★ FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE



## PILOT INJURED IN LANDING GIANT PLANE IN FOREST

Finding He Was Trapped  
Between Mountains, He  
Nosed to Stalling Position  
and Came Down Slow.

By the Associated Press.  
PORT JARVIS, N. Y., Dec. 21.—  
Department of Commerce inspec-  
tors searched the wreckage of a  
giant airplane, Pan-American, today  
to learn the cause of a mountain-  
side crash Saturday night in which  
11 persons escaped death or serious  
injury.

"We are going over the ground  
step by step," R. I. Lossow, one of  
the investigators said, "but it will  
be some time before we have defi-  
nite information."

Meanwhile Dick Merrill, Trans-  
atlantic flyer who landed the 14-  
passenger, Eastern Airlines Trans-  
port plane, is in a hospital with pos-  
sible fractures of the jaw and ankle.  
The storm-tossed ship fell in a  
wooded section near Matamoras,  
Pa., junction of New York, New  
Jersey and Pennsylvania bound-  
aries, narrowly missing a cliff in  
its plunge.

Merrill was the only one of four  
taken to the hospital whose inju-  
ries kept him there today. Sam-  
uel Saggio, Milburn, N. J., and co-  
pilot John Battle, left yesterday  
and Herbert Hall of Harrington  
Park, N. J., was discharged last  
night. All suffered lacerations or  
contusions.

Seven on Board Unhurt.  
Other plane occupants, all of  
whom were uninjured, were Peter  
Blomquist, publicity representative  
of the airline, and W. T. S. Critch-  
field of Summit, N. J., who walked  
seven miles through woods and wa-  
ter to summon aid; Samuel S. Al-  
exander, broker, New York; Elliott  
A. Sperber, broker, New York; V.  
Lebow, Baltimore, Md.; R. V. Lake,  
Woodmere, N. Y., and Jay Sisson,  
flight steward.

Headed for the Newark, N. J.,

## Airliner After Crash Into Mountain Side in East



**EIGHT** passengers and a crew of three were aboard this Eastern Air Lines plane when it met with accident near Port Jarvis, N. Y., Saturday night. Four persons were hurt. The ship was piloted by Dick Merrill, trans-Atlantic flyer.

airport on a flight from West Palm  
Beach, Merrill said rain and fog  
plagued them all the way.  
"Everything closed in from Jack-  
sonville south and from Richmond  
north," Merrill said, "there was no  
visibility and static prevented us  
from picking up the radio beam."  
"We thought we were near Cam-  
den, N. J., when we came down to  
try to find some lights to guide us  
and turned north instead of east."

**How He Landed Plane.**  
Just missing a rocky cliff, the  
plane's wing hit trees which dis-  
abled the right motor. Knowing  
by his altitude that he was trapped  
in mountains, Merrill cut the re-  
maining motor, nosed the plane up-  
ward to stalling position and  
brought it down at the minimum  
speed possible.

It sheared into the forest. The  
wings crumpled up. A bough of  
oak cut into the cockpit between  
pilot and co-pilot. A carburetor

burst into flames and sputtered  
out, its fuel supply cut off. But  
the fuselage slid between the tree  
trunks to a stop.

### DR. J. O. CARRICO'S FUNERAL

Services at 2 P. M. Tomorrow at  
2707 North Grand.  
The funeral of Dr. J. Oliver Car-  
ricco, former St. Louisian who died  
of bronchial pneumonia Friday in  
Belen, N. M., will be held at 2 p.  
m. tomorrow at the Kron Mortuary,  
2707 North Grand boulevard. Bur-  
ial will be in Free Cemetery.

Dr. Carrico, a graduate of the  
American School of Osteopathy in  
Kirksville, Mo., was 41 years old.  
Surviving are his wife, a son,  
James J. Carrico, six brothers and  
two sisters.

**Funeral of Miss Rose Haug.**  
The funeral of Miss Rose Haug,  
private music teacher, who died yes-

terday at her home, 3621 Junata  
street, will be held at 1:30 p. m.  
Wednesday at the Wacker-Helders  
mortuary, 3634 Gravois avenue. In-  
terment will be in Sunset Burial  
Park. She was 39 years old and  
had taught music for 20 years.

### Mrs. Margaret E. Goetz Funeral.

Funeral services for Mrs. Mar-  
garet E. Goetz, 70 years old, 600  
North Eleventh street, East St.  
Louis, who died yesterday of pneu-  
monia at St. Mary's Hospital, East  
St. Louis, will be held at 9 a. m.  
Wednesday from the home to  
Sacred Heart Church with burial  
in Mount Carmel Cemetery. Mrs.  
Goetz had fallen in her home  
Thanksgiving Eve and suffered a  
hip fracture. Her husband, Joseph,  
a retired East St. Louis policeman,  
a daughter, Margaret, and a son,  
Joseph E. Goetz, both postal em-  
ployees, survive.



## The Poinsettia Oval

This is an out-of-the-ordinary gift package—a beautiful red, oval-shaped box, decorated with immense poinsettias, and filled with delicious Bon Bons, Nut Candies, Dark and Milk Chocolates, and other fine Mavrakos Sweets. 2 Full Pounds . . . . . **\$1.50**

### Christmas Special

A lovely red and gold box set off with a red ribbon bow and filled with Milk and Dark Chocolates, Bon Bons, Caramels, and special Christmas characters. 3 Full Pounds . . . **\$1.89**

### Sewing Baskets

Charming baskets of sweet grass that are ideal for sewing kits; are filled to overflowing with fine Mavrakos Candies. Priced upward from **\$2.00**

### Economy Package

Assorted Chocolates, Bon Bons and Nut Candies packed in a simple but effective package and wrapped attractively in holiday paper. 2 Full Pounds, **99c**

### The Gift Box

A generous 3-pound box of choicest sweets—Chocolates, Bon Bons, Nougats, English Toffee, Pralines, Cordials, and other fine Mavrakos taste-tempters. 3 Pound Box . . . **\$2.50**

## HOLIDAY NOVELTIES

There are hundreds of different Christmas Novelties in our stores this year. They're attractive, interesting, and very economical! The Santa Cart costs only 25c, and the candy-filled Santa, only . . . . . **10c**

## YEAR 'ROUND FAVORITES

ROSE BUD CHOCOLATES—Nut and fruit centers—Pound, **\$1.00**  
SURE TO PLEASE—Half Dark Chocolates, half Home Made Candies, Pound, 75c; 3-Pound Box . . . . . **\$2.00**  
BLUE RIBBON CANDIES—Tiny Chocolates, more than a hundred to the pound . . . . . **\$1.50**

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WASHINGTON  
OLIVE AT BROADWAY  
4933 DELMAR  
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Is there a very particular gentleman on that gift list? Somebody hard to please? Perhaps it's you yourself—in which case you can indulge in a rare treat which will pay you handsome dividends for a long time. Or it may be one of the ladies, looking for just the right thing. Either way, the answer is a **Park Lane Suit or Overcoat!** ★ This is "party time", when we all want to look our best. And we know of nothing which will better compliment the good taste of both giver and gettier than one of these thoroughbreds. Their suave lines are flattering to most any figure. Their rich woollens are worthy of expensive custom clothes. Their impeccable needlework reflects the masterful touch of our Rochester experts. *It's a gift to be able to dress well without spending a lot of money.* Park Lane Suits and Overcoats are showing the way to thousands of particular men. We're all set to have your selection fitted, and ready to enjoy, for Christmas.

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A Bond Gift Certificate for a  
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**\$35**  
overcoats  
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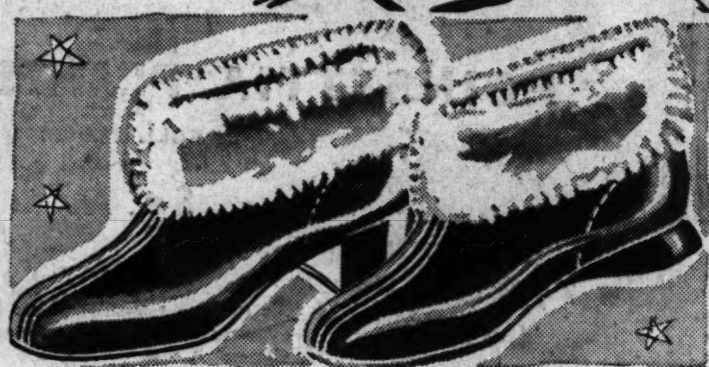


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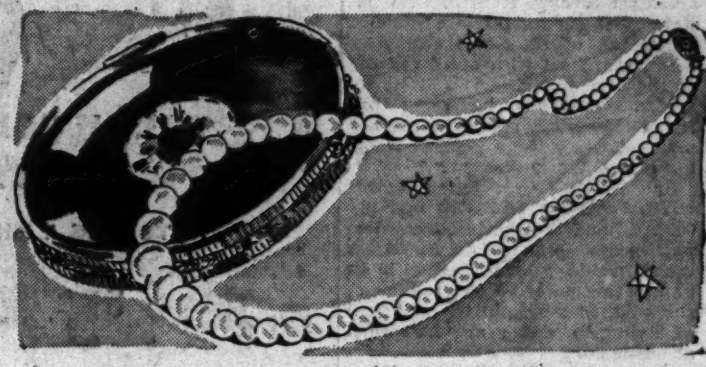


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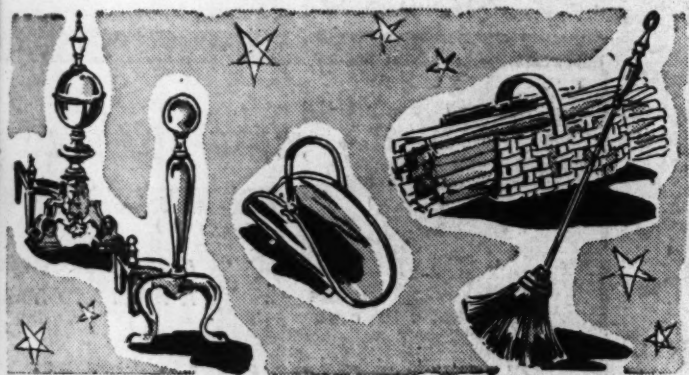


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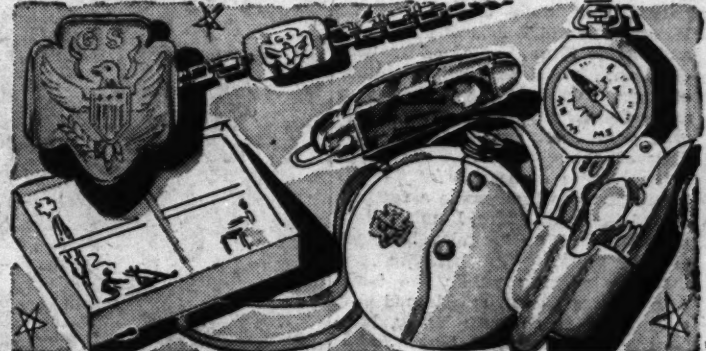
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Girl Scout Shop—Third Floor



## Schick Dry Shaver

\$15.00

The best Christmas gift you can give him. A clean shave every day. No blades, no lather, no muss. Schick Dry Shaver shaves the toughest beard and tenderest skins without trouble. It conveniently operates on either AC or DC current.

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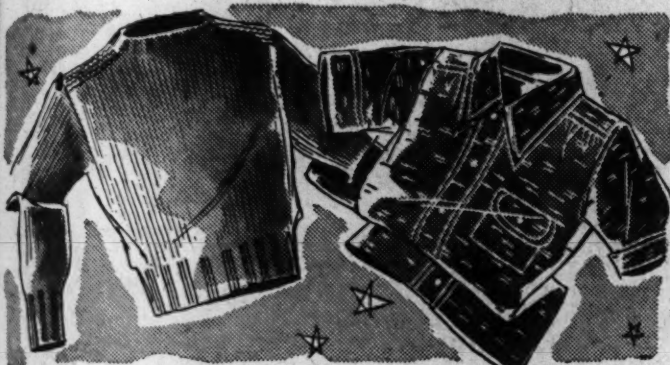
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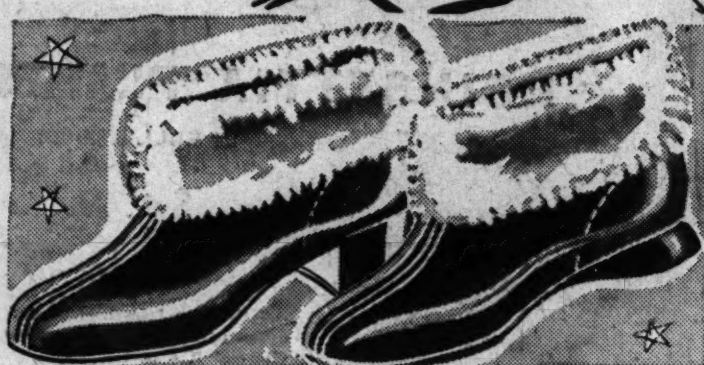
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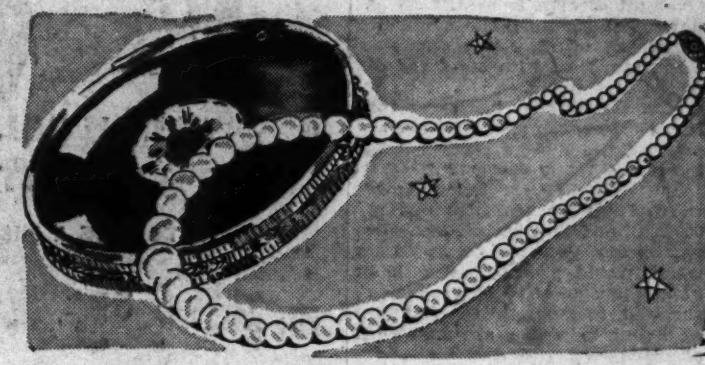


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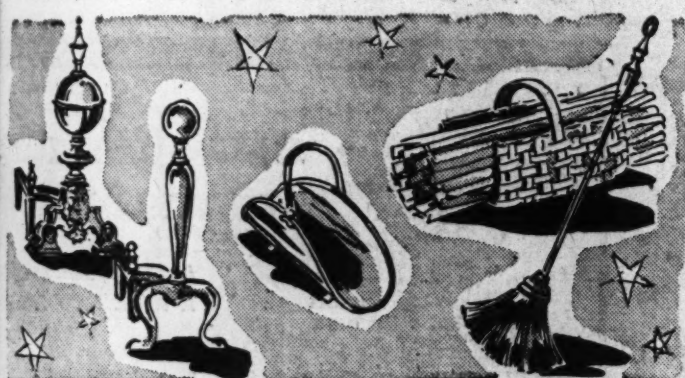
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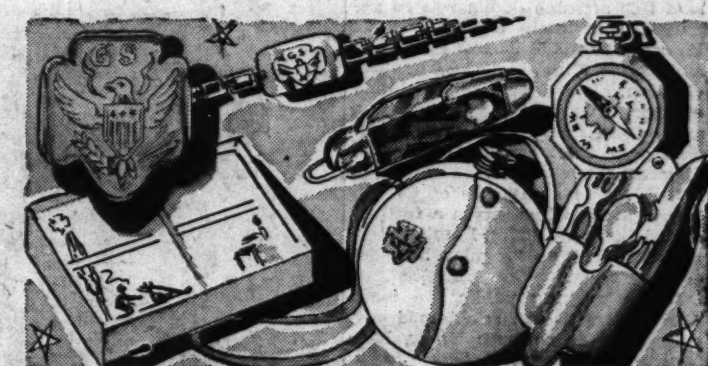
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# LAMBERT DIVORCE TRANSCRIPT MADE A PUBLIC RECORD

**Charging Cruelty, Wife in  
Secret Hearing Said Hus-  
band Was Worth \$5,-  
000,000 to \$6,000,000.**

A transcript of the testimony given at a secret hearing before Circuit Judge Eugene J. Sartorius last Thursday at which Mrs. Emily Milliken Lambert obtained a pre-arranged divorce from J. D. Wooster Lambert, multi-millionaire sportsman of St. Louis and New York, was filed with other records of the case today.

Mrs. Lambert's testimony followed closely the allegations of her petition, which were general indignities and "mental cruelty."

She testified that Lambert was worth "between \$5,000,000 and \$6,000,000," and that he had agreed to pay gross alimony of \$1,000,000, which would provide her with an annual income of \$45,000, sufficient, she said, to maintain the standard of living to which she had been accustomed.

In response to questions of her attorney, Daniel N. Kirby, Mrs. Lambert related that her husband frequently absented himself from home without cause. This happened, she said, about once a month in the winter months, and in the summer he was sometimes away for as long as three weeks.

Lambert made things disagreeable for her friends, Mrs. Lambert testified, and they stayed away from her home at 17 Beekman place, New York, because he made it plain that he was not glad to see them. She told of one of her friends who went directly to Mrs. Lambert's husband, whom she called, and left by the back door, to avoid meeting Lambert.

He "seemingly lost interest in her," Mrs. Lambert testified. She said this attitude of his was so apparent that their children, J. D. Wooster Lambert Jr., 10 years old, and Jarvis Winn, 7, noticed it. The children, she said, "absolutely changed" when their father was away from home. The divorce decree gave Mrs. Lambert sole custody of the children.

Lambert is a member of the St. Louis family which made a fortune out of Listerine. Mrs. Lambert testified he had no "regular business or profession."

Before making public the testimony Judge Sartorius obtained permission to do so from Kirby, Mrs. Lambert's attorney. The judge then required newspaper reporters to sign a writer order for transcripts of the testimony to be paid for at the usual rates for transcripts. Today, however, no transcripts were supplied in accordance with that order, but one was filed with the court. In excluding reporters from his chamber during the hearing the judge had told them that after the hearing they might obtain the testimony from the court stenographer, but the stenographer, Whit C. Egan, said he was "too busy" to read his notes.

With the transcript Judge Sartorius filed a memorandum stating that he did so in view of "misrepresentations" and "violations innuendoes." He did not go into particulars. The memorandum stated that the court stenographer's fee for writing the transcript, \$3.50, would be taxed as part of the costs of the divorce suit, to be paid by Lambert.

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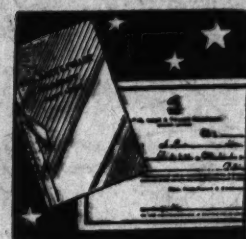
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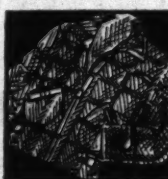


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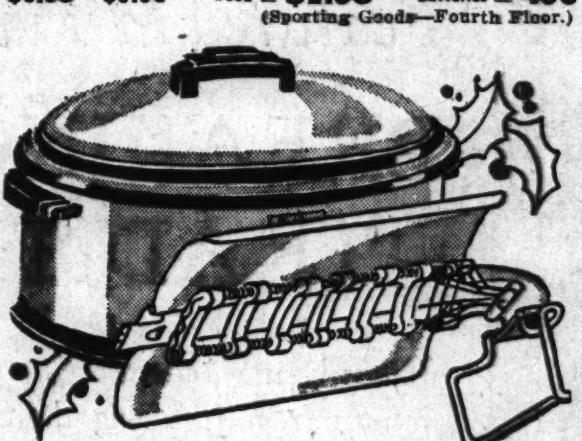
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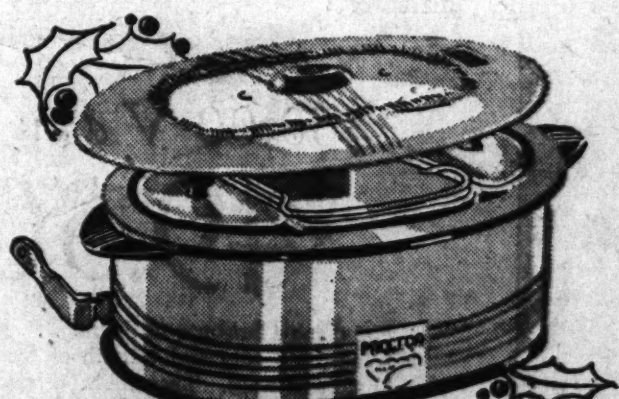


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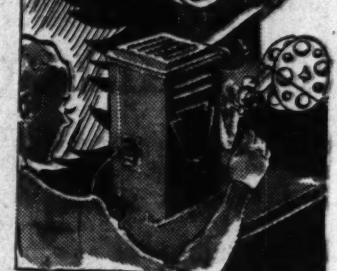


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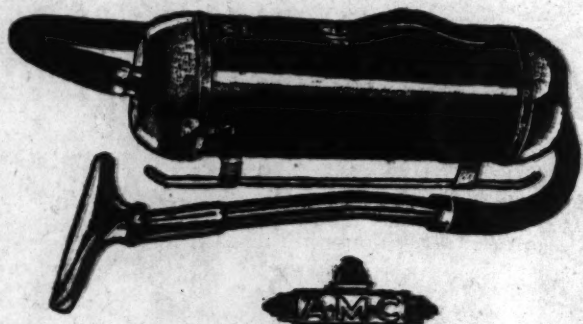


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## TWO MEN KILLED BY GAS; WIFE OF ONE OVERCOME

Thomas Roache and Valentine Gorris Victims of Fumes of Water-Heater in Unventilated Room.

Thomas Roache, 65 years old, and Valentine Gorris, 74, were killed last night by fumes from an unventilated gas water-heater in a three-story flat at 4311 Strodtman place. Gorris' wife, Mrs. Anna Gorris, 75, was revived by an inhalator and taken to City Hospital, where her condition was said to be serious today.

The owner of the dwelling, Patrolman Bruno Kempt, attached to the North Market Street Police Station, found the two men dead and the woman overcome shortly before 9 o'clock, when he went to the building in response to a telephone call that the water was in the cold water pipes. He received the call at his home, 4427A Strodtman place, from an occupant of the first-floor flat.

Observing nothing amiss on the first floor, he went into the second-floor flat and found Roache's body on the floor, not far from the gas heater in the kitchen. He threw open the windows, turned off the heater, which was not equipped with a vent to permit fumes to be carried outside, and hurried to the third floor.

There he found Gorris dead and his wife unconscious in the bedroom. The Police and Fire Department sent inhalators, which were used on all three, but on the two men without avail.

Roache, a street car motorman, was unmarried.

Shoe Company Wage Increase.

By the Associated Press.  
NASHUA, N. H., Dec. 21.—The J. P. McIlwain Shoe Co. announced today that employees in its factories here and in Manchester would be given wage increases of 5 per cent effective Jan. 1. The announcement ends the average weekly wage, exclusive of executives and supervisors, in 1935 and 1936, was \$28.

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\$5 Garing Set, 3 pieces, \$2.88

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\$3.50 Cookin' Fount, Pen, \$1.88

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# MAN KILLED WHEN AUTO HITS HIM ON COUNTY HIGHWAY

**Bernard D. Menke, 24, Succumbs in Hospital — Woman Companion Suffers Brain Concussion.**

Bernard D. Menke, 24, of 4116 Casselman avenue, died at County Hospital today of a skull injury suffered at 2 a. m. yesterday when struck by an automobile while walking on a St. Louis County highway. His companion, Miss Lilyan Ratican, 22, 3517A Park avenue, is in County Hospital with brain concussion.

Menke, a grocery clerk, was walking east in St. Charles road with Miss Ratican. About two blocks east of Lindbergh boulevard they were struck by an eastbound automobile driven by Verl Bell, 20, 5342 Page boulevard. Bell took them to the hospital and furnished bond. Menke was the son of Benjamin Menke. At his home it was said he and Miss Ratican had been riding with another pair in an automobile, but had gotten out of the

## PEDESTRIAN KILLED



BERNARD D. MENKE.

machine following a disagreement with the other persons. Second Victim of Auto-Truck Collision on Highway Dies. Conrad Hoover, 67, a farmer, of Trenton, Mo., died yesterday at Barnes Hospital of internal injuries, the second victim of a collision between a truck and an automobile on an icy St. Charles County highway last Friday.

The other killed in the crash was Charles A. Foster, a farmer, of Trenton. They were riding with Hoover's son, Bert, and L. E. Price, also of Trenton, when the machine collided with an empty powder truck on United States Highway 40, two miles west of O'Fallon, Mo. Bert Hoover and Price suffered head injuries. The powder truck was driven by Carl Wasem of Belleville, Ill.

Boy, 4, Dies of Injury Suffered in Collision Last Thursday.

Jack Randolph, 4, of Richwoods, Mo., died yesterday at St. John's Hospital of a skull injury suffered last Thursday night in an automobile collision on a highway in Washington County, near Richwoods.

His mother, Mrs. Elsie Randolph, who brought him to the hospital, said he was thrown against the dashboard of the automobile in which he was riding when the machine collided with a truck which was without lights.

Five Persons Injured in Auto Accidents Caused by Skidding.

Two men were hurt when an automobile in which they were riding skidded on the icy pavement and crashed into the front of a grocery at 1024 Russell boulevard last night. John Kristanich, laborer, 1830 Geyer avenue, the driver, suffered injuries of the chest and hands. His brother-in-law, Joseph Lamasac, same address, was treated for a lacerated knee. The plate glass window in the grocery was smashed and the brick wall cracked. Kristanich told police he swerved his car when another automobile passed him on the right, and his machine skidded across the curb.

Miss June White, 20, 3652A Cook avenue, was returned to City Hospital at 10 o'clock last night for treatment for a skull injury suffered in an automobile accident at 4:30 a. m. yesterday. She was treated at the hospital following the accident for a lacerated knee, and went home. The automobile in which she was a passenger skidded into a street light standard at East Grand boulevard and twentieth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Arnet, 9008 Diamond drive, St. Louis County, suffered skull injuries when their automobile skidded off a highway six miles south of Litchfield, Ill., yesterday. They were taken to a hospital in Litchfield.

Following six minor automobile accidents within 30 minutes caused by ice on the pavement of Washington boulevard, between Walton and Taylor avenues, police closed the block to traffic last night. No one was injured.

## GERMAN HOUSEWIVES TOLD TO STOP SHOPPING AROUND

Ordered to Select and Deal With One Grocery; Regimentation and Mounting Food Prices.

BERLIN, Dec. 21.—German housewives, facing mounting food prices, were instructed officially today to select one grocery for their purchases and quit shopping around.

First returns in the Government-supervised "plebiscite of fats purchasers" in the German drive to insure economic self-sufficiency. Housewives were asked to designate the dealers from whom they purchase exclusively but many census cards returned to the Government showed the women dealt at more than one place.

Convict, 30, Turns Down Freedom. JOLIET, Ill., Dec. 21.—Mike Murphy, 30 years old, sentenced to serve 10 years for burglary, was released Saturday from Illinois State prison after serving more than 17 years. Early today he called at the county jail, and asked to be returned to prison. Warden Joseph Ragen said his request would be granted.

Thomas J. Aylward Dies. Thomas J. Aylward, brother of Police Capt. Andrew Aylward, died yesterday at St. Louis County Hospital following a heart attack. Mr. Aylward, a watchman at the Chevrolet Co. plant, was 59 years old and resided at 6416 Glenmore avenue, Pine Lawn. The funeral will be held Wednesday.

## CHICAGO MUSICIANS' UNION TO MAKE NO MORE RECORDINGS

President Says \$1500 Is Paid for Work That Destroys \$1,500,000 Worth of Business.

By the Associated Press. CHICAGO, Dec. 21.—President James L. Petrillo of the Chicago Federation of Musicians asserted yesterday that beginning next Feb. 1 no member would be permitted to record music.

"The average recording unit receives in the neighborhood of \$1500 for a recording," he said. "By the time the record has worn itself out, mechanically and otherwise, and has been discarded, it has ruined and wiped out around \$1,500,000 worth of business for living musicians. Can anyone put forward a convincing argument to explain why musicians should thus continue to destroy themselves?"

## RUBBER PLANT STRIKE ENDS

Two Thousand Workers at Eau Claire, Wis., Involved in Closing.

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., Dec. 21.—Striking employees of the Gillette Rubber Co. voted yesterday to return to their jobs. The factory closed Saturday when workers in one department began a "sit-down" strike and fellow members of the Rubber Workers' Union, in other departments, walked out in sympathy. The company employs 2000 men. Both plant officials and union leaders declined to disclose what caused the strike.

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Beautiful Center Diamond with 6 Side Diamonds  
7 pretty GENUINE DIAMONDS. One of our very newest creations. An exclusive design—besides note the low terms.  
**\$49.75**  
\$1.00 A WEEK

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NO INTEREST OR CARRYING CHARGES  
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**MAN'S CURVED WATCH**  
The new yellow curved model. 17 jewels. Be sure to see this big value.  
**\$24.85**  
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**LADIES' YELLOW GOLD FINISH**  
Just what you've been looking for—the new tiny square model—low terms.  
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A great big bargain is this durable timepiece. Note our low price.  
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Entirely solid gold. All sparkling GENUINE DIAMONDS—17 jewels—sure to please the most particular lady.  
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The new square model, reliable timepiece—an inexpensive gift.  
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6th & St. Charles

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**Axminster Throw Run**  
Popular 27x50-1n. \$2.00  
\$3.20 Value!

In many colorful terms and designs, embellished with other...



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Welcome News for Busy  
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In new spring styles! Just like spring itself—that'll be the effect on those who receive these advance season frocks! Attractive print percales with ric-rac trims, novel buttons, piping, and so many other gay details! Sizes 14 to 52.

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**Beautiful All Silk Satin and Crepe Nightgowns — \$1.95**

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**Crisp, Colorful, Springtime Printed Hooverettes — \$1**

**Lovely Pure-Dye Satin Chemises or Dancettes, each — \$1.18**

Select these now! Remember! Only three more days before Christmas!

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## MEN'S TIES

Provide an Ever-Pleasing Gift Solution!

50c to 65c Values!

**38c**

A thrilling group that will please thrifty gift seekers and discriminating recipients! Stripes, plaids, checks and others in this array! Every one is hand-made.

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### "Sa-Von" Gloves:

Imported Leathers — \$1.39  
Wool Lined — \$1.59  
Leather Dress Gloves — \$1.98  
Fur-Lined Gloves — \$2.45

### Give Him Pajamas:

Broadcloths or Percales — 98c  
Cotton Flannellets — \$1.09  
Broadcloths — \$1.39  
Heavy Cotton Flannellets — \$1.69

### Give Him Bathrobes:

Bacon Ombré — \$6.98  
Bacon Blanket Robes — \$3.98  
Rayon, Satin Trimmed — \$4.98  
Rayon Cocktail Coats — \$5.98

### Give Him Sweaters:

All-Wool Coats — \$2.98  
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## Lovely Full-Fashioned Silk Hose

That Will Enable You to Complete Your  
Feminine Gift List in a Welcome Manner!

Irregulars of 79c to \$1 Grades!

**2** Prs. for **\$1**

- Flatteringly Sheer Ringless Chiffons!
- Service Weight Hose of Thread Silk!
- Narrow French Heels! Cradle Soles!
- Reinforced With Silk or Lisle for Wear!

Here's an offering that is timed to perfection to aid last minute shoppers! It's a money saving offering that features lovely, luxurious hose at a price that is incredibly low for such exceptional quality! The imperfections are so small that you'd have to qualify as an expert to detect them readily! See them... inspect them carefully... and you'll choose a generous supply for yourself as well as for gifts!

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The Little Shop for Larger Women Presents

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**\$3.33**

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**\$1.95**

Exquisite all-silk crepe in moulded styles. Sizes 32 to 38.

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Ideal for wear under a sheer frock! And ideal for gifts!  
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## ACCESSORIES for Gifts



**SMART BAGS 98c**

In a host of favored styles, grains and fabrics! Fitted and attractively lined... in popular shades.

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Beaded Bags for festive events in white, ecru, black or black and white! Luxurious gifts.

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Washable "Stetson" Gloves in slip-on style! Black or brown... in sizes 6 to 8 1/2. Soft, pliable capeskin.

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## FOR THEIR LEISURE HOURS... Give SLIPPERS

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**For Men! \$1.98**

Comfortable, superior quality Slippers with soft kid uppers and flexible leather soles! Everett, Opera and Romeo styles. Brown, black, Burgundy, blue, red or green. 6 to 12.

**For Kiddies! 79c**

Attractive, practical Hylas for little girls or boys! Sheepskin uppers, lamb's wool linings and brown wool collars! Padded leather soles. Sizes 11 to 1.



**For Women! 98c**

Built-up style D'Orsay with ramps of black, blue, red or brown Zapan that are complemented by black quarters! White or black quarters. Flexible leather soles and Cuban heels. Sizes 1 to 9.

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## Velvet Grip Girdles

Of Peach Latex

**\$1.59**

Comfortable, long-stretching Girdles with Latex binding around the top for added figure control and better fit!

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Adaptations of higher priced models! Fashioned of all-lace, lace and batiste or all-batiste. 32 to 38.  
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## Men's Jackets

Will Be Warmly Received on Christmas Morning!

**Blue Meltons \$4.45**

34-oz. all-wool, with zip-up fronts, taped seams. Sizes 38 to 46.

**Suede Jackets \$5.95**

Cotton sateen lined with zip-up fronts. Dark brown shade. Sizes 36 to 46.

**Horseshide Jackets \$7.50**

\$9.95 value! Fully cut, soft, pliable leathers. Sizes 36 to 44.

**Plaid Wool Jackets \$4.85**

Sport back, zip-up front plaids in sizes 36 to 44.  
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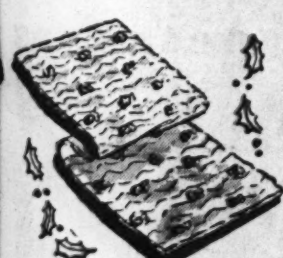
## Reflectors

For Cheery Gifts!

**Glass Bowl Style! \$6.98**

Let these lamps shed a new light on your gift problem! 3-candle mogul; rich ivory finish; complete with paper parchment shade!

**Table Lamps & Shades \$1.57**  
White, rust or maple finishes! Pleated, paper parchment shades.  
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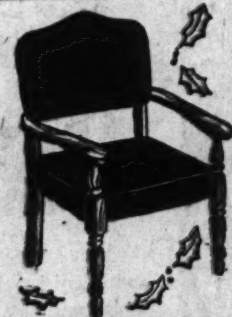


## Axminster Throw Rugs

Popular 27x50-In. Size

**\$3.29 Value! \$2.69**

In many colorful patterns and designs, easily blended with other rugs!  
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## Pull-Up Chairs

Designed for Comfort!

**\$6.95 Value! \$4.49**

Solid walnut arms and front posts. Covered in rust, or green homespun.  
**Coffee Tables, \$7.95**  
Walnut; glass tray!  
**\$3.95 Tables, \$2.69**  
Duncan Phyfe style.  
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The Perfect Gift for Mother and Yourself

## Glass Coffee Brewers

Famed "Cory" Brand

**\$1.95**

Patented Funnel Holder  
No Metal Contact  
Heat-Resisting Glass  
Special Pour Lip

Controls perfect brewing temperatures and permits just a 3-minute infusion of coffee and water!  
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## 11-Tube Radios

For Splendid Gifts!

**\$69.95 Value!**

**\$49.98**

- 11 RCA Metal Tubes!
- Variable Tone Control!
- Overload 12-in. Speaker!
- Electric Eye Tuning!
- Powerful Superheterodyne!

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## ASSORTED Chocolates

A Sweet Treat For Christmas!

**5 Lbs. \$1**

In Attractive Gift Boxes!

Delicious centers including creams, caramels, nougats, molasses, mints and others! Covered with milk or dark chocolate.  
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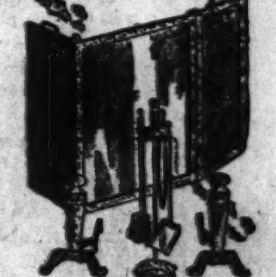
## "Princess" Electric Cleaners

A Boon to Housewives

**\$17.95**

- Rotating Brush
- Switch on Handle
- Durable Full Size Bag
- Electric Head Light
- Adjustable Levering

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## Fireplace Ensembles

Hammered Brass!

**\$16.95 \$11.98**

Handsome, antique brass! Includes a screen, andirons, shovel, brush, tongs, poker.  
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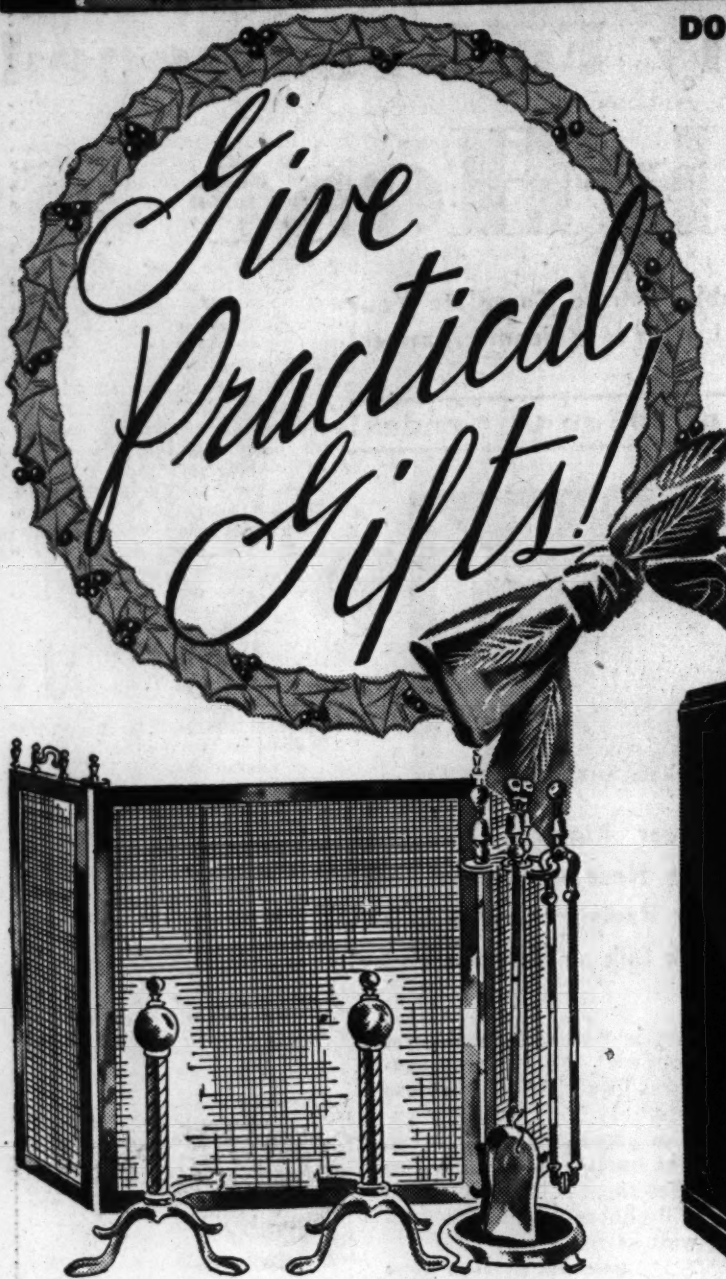
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how welcome for gifts!

**FIRESIDE SET**

**\$18<sup>50</sup>**

Anyone with a fireplace to furnish will leap for joy when presented with one of these beautiful brass fireplace ensembles. Consisting of pair of andirons, 3-fold fire screen, fire set of poker, tongs, shovel and stand... all to match.

Electrically Lighted Logs

Real birch log lighted with two bulbs. Fans create moving shadow effect like wood fire. Cord.

To Famous-Barr Co. for Fireplace Ensembles—Seventh Floor

glass gift vases

**\$1**

What lovely vases... admired gifts. Several delightful shapes. Blue, green, opalescent with crystal color handles. Made in Czechoslovakia.

To Famous-Barr Co. for Gifts—Sixth Floor



wreaths, sprays

**\$1**

Magnolia with ruscus, poinsettia cluster; red ruscus; poinsettia, silver trim; green cedar, holly, red berries; 24-in. green ruscus, palm leaf spray, and others!

To Famous-Barr Co. for Wreaths—Sixth Floor. Call. GA. 4500



roomy cedar chests

**\$18<sup>95</sup>**

Caswell-Runyan make! Walnut veneer exterior, fragrant red Tennessee cedar interior. Beautiful polished piano finish. 45-inch size.

Cedar Chests—Sixth Floor



white fir trees

**89<sup>c</sup>**

15 to 18 inch size! Natural fir sprayed with white paint. Ideal for Christmas table decorations. 18 to 24 in. at \$1.19, to 42 to 48 in., \$3.69. No mail orders.

To Famous-Barr Co. for Christmas Trees—Seventh Floor



1937 automatic tuning

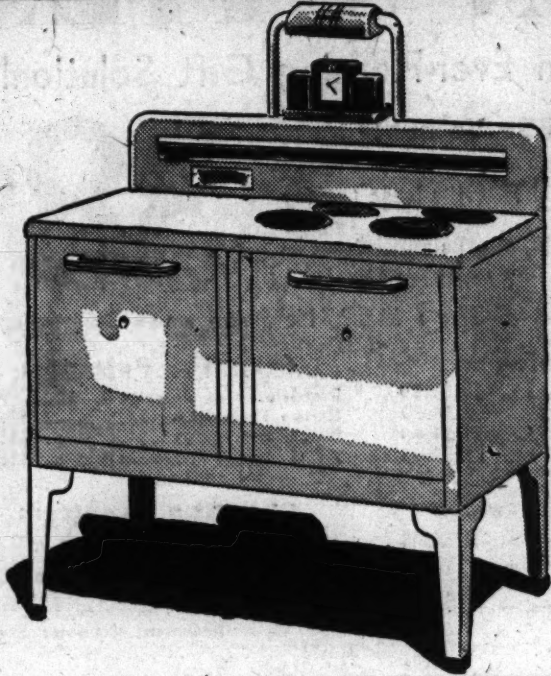
**NEW PHILCO**

**\$127<sup>50</sup>**

Let your gift to the family be a Philco, one of these marvelous new models that bring radio's newest achievement... automatic tuning! Twirl the dial, your favorite American station is there, tuned perfectly by Philco's magnetic tuning. Nine tubes... reception that circles the globe. Liberal trade-in for radio, piano, phonograph.

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extraordinary range!

**WESTINGHOUSE**

**\$172<sup>50</sup>**

Special opportunity! \$233.50 usually... now \$182.50... with \$10 allowance for old stove! Wonderful "Viceroy" range with Corox Economizer units that permit simmering with one-tenth of "high" current. Also equipped with dual automatic control for attention-free searing of roasts; oven light; platform light.

No Cash Down—monthly payments including carrying charge. No Charge to Install—under Standard Installation Plan.

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imported 93-piece sets

**GIFT CHINA**

**\$25**

Who wouldn't thrill with joy at receiving one of these sets Christmas! 93 pieces gleaming white china, decorated by artisans with lovely floral sprays on warm ivory shoulder. Footed style pieces enhanced with coin gold handles. For 12.

Crystal Glass Epergne, Candelabra

Centerpieces for table or buffet. Three candle holders and two flower vases — **\$1<sup>98</sup>**

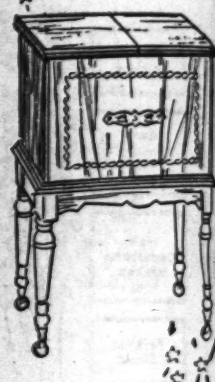
To Famous-Barr Co. for China... Seventh Floor

useful cellarettes

**\$14<sup>95</sup>**

Open the top and up comes the shelf with glassware. Six small, 6 large glasses, ice bucket, decanter, frapper. Has large space for serving. Walnut veneers.

To Famous-Barr Co. for Gift Furniture—Tenth Floor



gift linen sets

**\$7<sup>75</sup>**

Just like finding the difference between \$7.75 and \$10.95, their regular price. 60x98-in. cloths made narrow for oblong tables. 8 matching napkins, all pure linen! Hemstitched.

To Famous-Barr Co. for Linens—Third Floor



warm wool blankets

**\$9<sup>98</sup>**

There are more ways than one of saying "Merry Christmas"... giving a blanket ranks with the best! Soft and warm, thick, deep pile! Satin bound... lovely pastel shades. 72x84-in.

To Famous-Barr Co. for Blankets—Third Floor



gift kitchen clocks

**\$2<sup>33</sup>**

Special! Nick o' time for late shoppers! 8-day models... famed Sessions, Ingraham and Gilbert makes! Square and novelty shape cases... blue, green, red and ivory.

To Famous-Barr Co. for Clocks—Main Floor

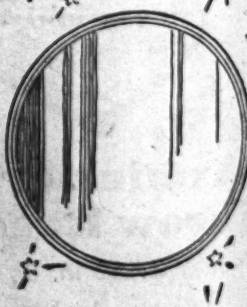


circles, octagons

**\$2<sup>50</sup>**

What better way to complement the charm and taste of any home! So useful and decorative... they add depth to small rooms, character to large ones! Unframed, 24-inch size!

To Famous-Barr Co. for Mirrors—Eighth Floor



## A Practical Person's Gift Paradise!

**Toaster Services**

Manning-Bowman master-piece! Usually \$4.95! Two-slice, chrome-finished toaster, with double glass relish dish and large chrome tray with wooden handles!

**\$3<sup>95</sup>**

**Universal 2-Slice Toasters**

Agileam with the promise of good things to come. Chrome plated.

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**Universal Wrinkleproof IRONS**

Has a round heel to iron backwards and forwards! 6 lb. weight!

**\$2<sup>95</sup>**

**Chrome Whistling KETTLES**

Mirror copper, chrome plated! 4-qt. size!

**\$1<sup>39</sup>**

**Relish Sets**

Chrome serving tray... crystal divided relish!

**\$1<sup>98</sup>**

**Simplex Three-Heat HEAT PADS**

Soothing comfort at your fingertips! Built by General Electric!

**\$2<sup>95</sup>**

**8-Cup Glass Coffeemakers SILEX**

Heatproof! Use on electricity or gas!

**\$2<sup>49</sup>**

**STEAK SETS**

Cast aluminum platter for sizzling steaks; table pad!

**\$1<sup>98</sup>**

**Cutlery Sets**

6 stainless steel knives... 6 forks to match. Colored handles. Boxed!

**\$2<sup>98</sup>**

**Detecto Scale**

Weights up to 300 lbs. 2-pc. platform! Chrome tray.

**\$3<sup>95</sup>**

**Salad Servers**

Glass insert in chrome bowl! Fork, spoon!

**\$1<sup>69</sup>**

**Can Openers**

Dazey, De Luxe \$1<sup>69</sup> opens cans in a jiffy!

**Pie Plate Sets**

Two, 9-inch ovenproof Pie Plates, with chrome plated cover!

**\$1**

**Casseroles**

Streamlined, decorated ovenproof bowl and chrome plated cover!

**\$1<sup>39</sup>**

**HAMPERS**

Bench style with seat top, pearl effect! Lovely pastel shades!

**\$2<sup>99</sup>**

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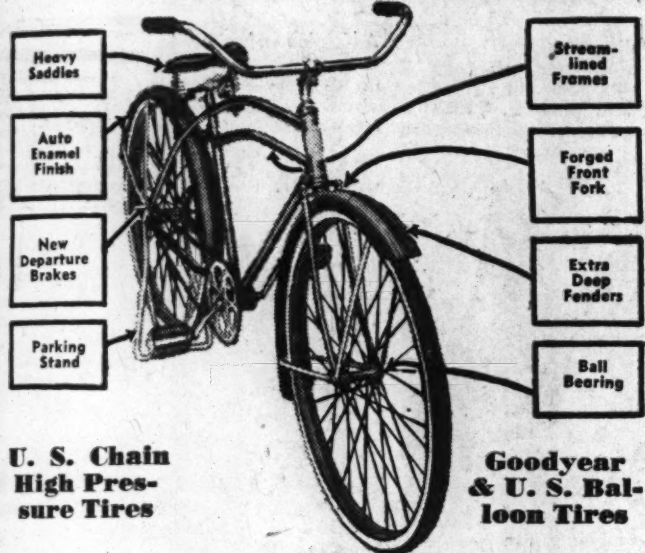
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Liberal allowance for old bike regardless of size or age.

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Lightweight Colson Racers; Maple Racing Frames — \$23.95Coaster Brakes On All Racer Models at Additional Charge  
Sporting Goods—Eighth Floor

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Most 5c Cigars

Box of 25 — 95c  
Box of 50, \$1.88

Most 10c Cigars

Box of 25 — \$1.44  
Box of 50, \$3.58

Melba, Ruskin, La Palina, Harvester, Hauptmann, La Fendrich and many other brands.

16-oz. Half &amp; Half Tobacco &amp; Imported Briar Pipe — 66c

La Palina, Dutch Masters, Chancellor, Charles the Great and many other brands.

16-oz. Velvet, Granger, Prince Albert and other Tobaccos, 67c.

Smoke Shop—Main Floor



## SWEATERS for your dog!

79c to \$3.50

Grand gifts for your pet! Many popular styles in 10-12-14-16-18 and 20 in. sizes.

we've a complete array of gifts for pets.  
Pet Shop—Eighth Floor

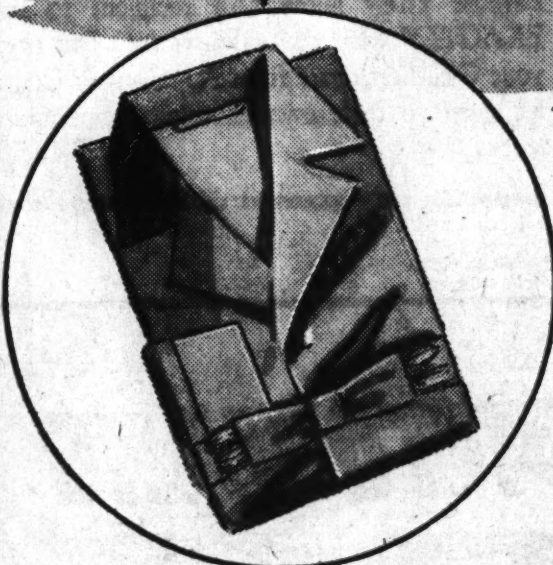
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## TRIMMINGS FOR A CHRISTMAS TREE

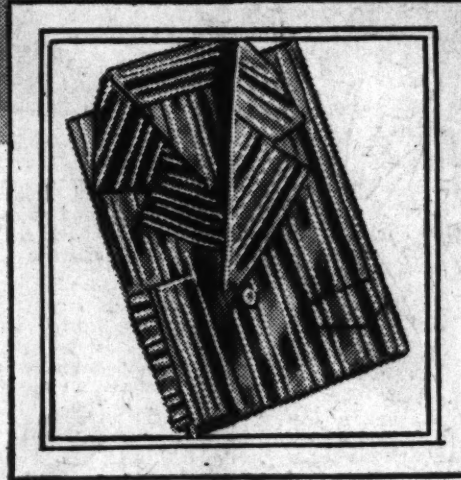
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\$3.50 TO \$4.50  
WHITE SHIRTS

\$2.95

Distinctive white figures on white grounds . . . Shirts tailored with special care to details.  
Main Floor

\$6 &amp; \$7 SILK PAJAMAS

Lounge models of lab-tested pure silk in white and six good-looking plain shades.  
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\$3 to \$4 PAJAMAS

\$2.50

Indulge his taste for luxury at a "hurry-and-choose" price! Notch collar, slip-on and surplice styles in a world of patterns and colors!  
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Tuesday Only!

\$3 SUEDE MUFFLERS

\$1.95

Original velour suede in white, canary, maroon, gray, dark green and navy. Hand knotted fringes.  
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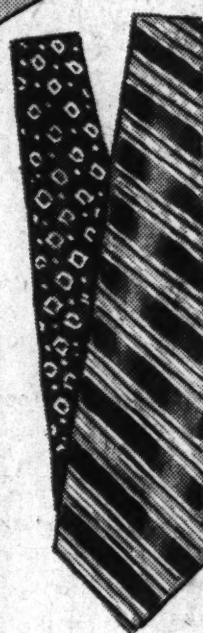
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The silks were imported from European looms . . . handmade in America.  
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GLOVES

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Fleece and wool lined driving gloves . . . washable capskin street gloves. 7 to 11 in regular sizes; some cadet sizes.  
Second Floor\$1.50 to \$3.00  
NECKTIES

\$1.00

The pick of fashion's favorites in patterns and colors. Handmade. Resiliently constructed to retain their shapes.  
Main Floor

imagine! better \$19.75 and \$24.75

## STUDENT'S 2 Trouser SUITS

topcoats, overcoats

One of our favored resources gave us choice of his entire stock prior to inventory . . . now you benefit by savings we effect! The cream of the newest styles, patterns! Get your share now!

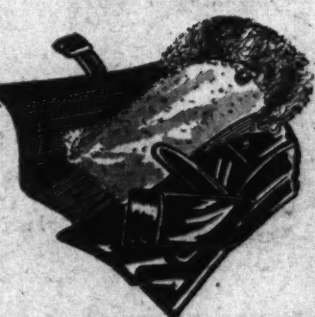
## LEATHER COATS

for boys . . . \$13.98 value!

Black horsehide leather coats . . . lined with warm sheepskin. Bevertone collars. Sizes 8 to 22!

\$9.98

Second Floor



## WOODRING URGES INCREASE IN ARMY RESERVE FORCES

Recommend Expansion of National Guard to 210,000, Training of 2000 More Officers.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—Citing the disturbed international situation Secretary of War Woodring today recommended increases in trained reserve manpower, fighting planes and other equipment for the Army.

His annual report said the program of army modernization should be continued.

"In the light of present world conditions," he said, "we cannot afford to neglect measures for our own national safety. A secure defense is our most dependable guaranty against aggression by others. Those who interpret the measures of preparedness advocated by this department as provocative of war are uninformed upon the true nature of these measures. They are ones which, menacing none, are solely for our own protection."

"They involve the maintenance of only a small regular army, but one which must be well trained and well equipped so that in war it may serve as the nucleus of our citizen forces."

Woodring recommended creation of an enlisted reserve of 150,000, expansion of the National Guard to 210,000 and maintenance of the regular army at its present authorized minimum enlisted strength.

He suggested that 2000 regular officers be added during the next five years, and that increased summer training facilities be provided for training 10,000 more reserve officers and 20,000 more youths annually.

"The program for procurement of aircraft should be accelerated to provide for the delivery of sufficient combat airplanes annually to reach the authorized total of 2320 serviceable military airplanes as early as practicable," he continued. He said recently he hoped Congress would provide funds for the purchase of 700 planes in the next fiscal year, compared with 500 contracted for in the current year. The Army now has in service approximately 1500 airplanes.

Sufficiently large appropriations also should be made annually, his report said, to complete the equipment of the regular army with modern weapons, transportation and communication facilities "within a reasonable time."

## SOVIET COMMANDERS' WIVES SEEK TO IMPROVE ARMY LIFE

1500 Gather in Kremlin to Discuss Political, Social, Cultural and Educational Activities.

MOSCOW, Dec. 21.—Fifteen hundred wives of Red Army commanders, representing army posts throughout the Soviet Union, convened in the Kremlin yesterday to discuss ways to improve life in the army. The delegates primarily were concerned with political, social, cultural and educational activities within the military organization.

At regional meetings, preceding the convention, women spokesmen declared: "We must prepare ourselves to catch rifles from the hands of the fallen and shoot our enemies. In the face of the war menace against the Soviet republics, together with our husbands, we will defend the fatherland against all attacks."

Newspapers reported the Soviet Union has 57,000 wives of commanders who also are political leaders, 70,000 studying to become political leaders and 56,000 who, through marksmanship and aviation or other training, are qualified for defense badges, and thousands of nurses, teachers, chauffeurs, telephone operators and librarians.

## RAIL UNIONS TAKEN TO TASK FOR INTER-ORGANIZATION ROWS

National Mediation Board Cites 44 Disputes in Year in Which Its Action Was Requested.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—The National Mediation Board took rail-road unions to task Saturday for quarreling among themselves over their jurisdiction. After noting it had been called in to settle 44 of these quarrels in the last fiscal year, the board said in its annual report to Congress:

"The board has urged the organizations again and again to settle these disputes among themselves, and has called attention to the dangers involved in such disputes in which neither the carriers nor the public is directly involved."

"These inter-organization disputes are deplored by the leaders in the labor movement, who realize that they weaken the organizations in their relationships with management; they tend to unpleasant working conditions for employees who, though belonging to separate crafts, are in daily contact one with the other; and certain management take advantage of disputes between organizations."

"But most important objections to the inter-organization disputes lie in the fact that they tend to disturb effective operation of the railroads and to break up the co-operative effort of men and management."

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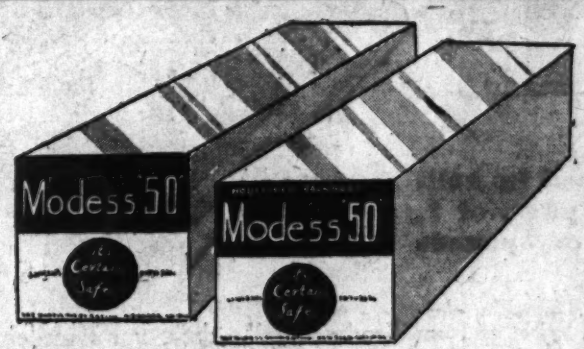
Emile E. G. Mathis Says He Threw Robber to Ground Following Demand for Necklace.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—Emile E. G. Mathis, French automobile manufacturer, reported to police that two gunmen attempted to hold up him and his wife as their taxi cab drew up before a hotel yesterday.

Mathis said the men jumped into the cab as it stopped and demanded a valuable emerald necklace. The manufacturer said he grappled with one of the robbers and threw him to the ground and that both fled. The manufacturer and his wife came here from France last month.

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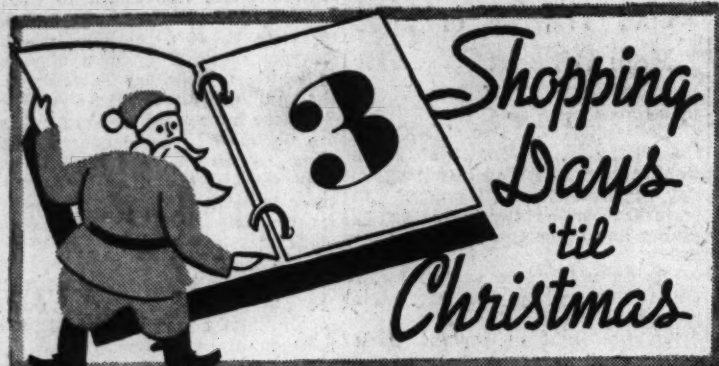
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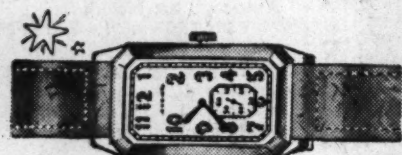
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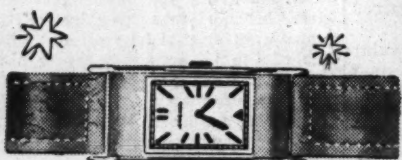
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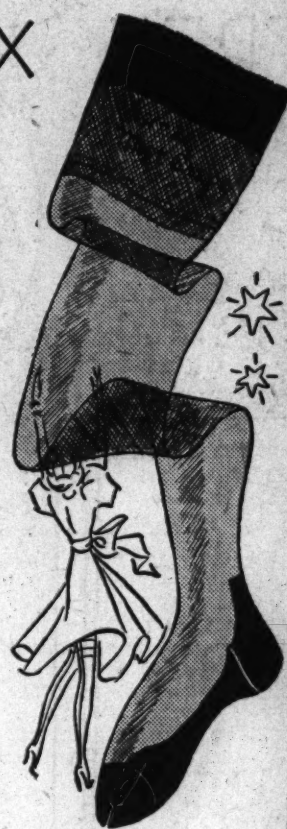
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Ann Woo embroidered Oriental velvet slipper in black, yellow, blue or red — \$4.95

Velvet scuff with white fur. Black, white, royal blue, turquoise, peach, wine — \$1.98

Back strap mule in crepe by Daniel Green. Black, coral, rose, white, blue — \$3.95

Suede period mules with gold piping. Red, royal blue, canary, pink or black, \$7.50

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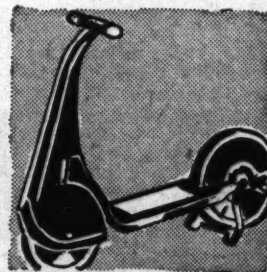
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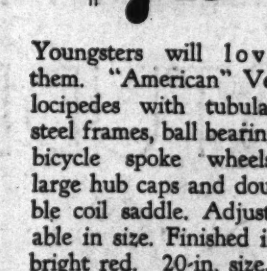
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Austin Missey, filling station attendant at 700 South Broadway suffered a skull injury last night when an automobile tire he was inflating blew out, causing the rim of the wheel to strike him on the head. He was treated at City Hospital.

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# LOSS OF PALANGIO FAILS TO STOP FLYERS' WINNING STREAK

## BEAT ST. PAUL 5-2 FOR 15TH CONQUEST IN LEAGUE RACE

St. Louis Club Scores Its Fourth Victory Over League Champions of Last Season.

By W. J. McGoogan.

It will take more than the loss of Pete Palangio to stop the St. Louis Flyers in the American Hockey Association race, members of the St. Paul club are ready to admit today, as the Saints were on the wrong end of a 5-2 score at the Arena last night, while the Flyers hung up their fifteenth league victory.

The St. Louis team is still undefeated and only two tie scores mar the record.

The Flyers are rapidly reaching the point where the statisticians will soon be reaching back into the records to find out if any other team has ever done so well, but as hockey is a game out of Canada, the records are pretty sketchy. And it will be hard to determine just what the Flyers have done in the way of setting new marks. Just about as soon as someone rises to remark they have set a record, some other person close to the North Pole will get up with figures to prove him wrong.

Teel Finds Them Too Fast.

"They're still flying," sadly remarked Gordon Teel of the Saints after the second period last night, during which the Flyers scored four goals. "We thought they would slow up a little after they lost Palangio, but they're still going at a terrific pace."

"Yes," spoke up youthful Johnny Flood, "we're all tired out from going back to center ice to face off after their scores."

It was not a particularly fast or interesting game. The first period was rather dull and the issue was really settled in the second 20 minutes, during which the tempo picked up considerably with six goals being counted, four by the Flyers and two by St. Paul. That session really was the ball game.

Ollie Mulvihill, who had played right wing on the line with Oscar Hansen at center and Palangio at left wing, moved over to Pete's old place, and Burns and Purpur, who had divided the right-wing assignment on that line.

Mulvihill played a good game and had one assist to his credit as five Flyers joined in the scoring spree. Mitchell, Ingram, Oscar Hansen, Matte and Burns, who had been on the line while there were eight assists credited, with Burns bagging two. Ingram, Mitchell, Mulvihill, Purpur, Hansen and MacKinnon had one each.

The game was not much of a contest after the Flyers had come to work in the second period. The teams battled through a scoreless first period, but shortly after a minute of play in the second session, Pete Mitchell started the scoring, assisted by Ingram and Burns.

Can't Stop the Scoring.

About four minutes later Ingram took passes from Burns and Mitchell to count.

Then St. Paul got back into the game after five more minutes when Flood scored a pass from Roy Burmeister, a former Flyer, making his first appearance here in a St. Paul uniform. He figured in the deal which brought Oscar Hansen to St. Louis.

The Flyers roared right back after that tally, however, and counted again. Oscar Hansen scored on passes from Mulvihill and Purpur. After that it was never close, for Joe Matte scored the Flyers' fourth goal at the 14-minute mark, assisted by Oscar Hansen.

Cully Dahlstrom counted again for the Saints just a minute before the period ended, assisted by Hodge Johnson and Matschke. That proved to be the Saints' last goal, but the Flyers drove through for another marker just 33 seconds after the start of the final session, Bobby Burns taking a pass from Coach Johnny MacKinnon and beating Almqvist with a shot. It was a nice piece of combination play.

Almqvist played a great game in goal despite the score and, had it not been for his fine work, the Flyers would have tallied several more times.

The attendance was announced as 6115.

There were only two penalties in the contest. Both in the third period one against Swenson of the Flyers and the other against Emil Hansen.

A. Frank Rupprecht, president of the Flyers, returned in time for the game after selling Palangio to the Blackhawks. It was reported that he received \$11,000 for Pete, of which Palangio got \$5500 and the St. Louis Hockey Club \$5500.

The Flyers' next game is Christmas night when Minneapolis will call at the Arena.

Also it was the fourth time this season that the Flyers had defeated the team which finished first in the regular schedule last season. The Flyers defeated St. Paul for the championship in the playoffs last spring.

Just a Matter of Viewpoint.

Virgil Johnson appeared to have

## CRASH! It Happens in Every Hockey Game



Joe Matte (center) of the Flyers, crowds Dahlstrom of St. Paul on the boards during the St. Louis team's victory over the Saints. The Flyer to the right is Mulvihill.

## CONWAY'S COLUMN

### Olympic Post Mortem.

LONG with swimming, boxing and other important sports in which the United States breezed through the little end of the Olympic horn at Berlin we may mention rowing. We refer to it because the National Amateur Rowing Association in a recent report sent to rowing officials here, honks a warning and a few words of explanation.

The report contains a suggestion to start now to get both men and equipment up to the plane of Germany and other countries, mentioning as a reason that the United States was able to win only one first in the entire list of seven regatta finals, while Germany won five.

The report places the major blame for the failure of our men and crews on the equipment, which was far below that of the up-to-date German crews. It declared that practically all U. S. shells except that of the eight-oared crew were from 30 to 50 per cent heavier than those of our leading rivals.

Also it said the reason American oarsmen, able to win national championships, were unable to hold their own against the Germans was that our boys were "up against a larger number of better trained men than ever before and those men had the very best rowing equipment obtainable. In the case of the German oarsmen they were trained intensively under the most favorable conditions. . . . Our equipment, compared to that of our competitors, was so much junk. We actually felt ashamed to have foreign oarsmen look over our equipment."

It is unreasonable to expect St. Louis boys to win even national titles with such inferior equipment.

The report also calls attention to the fact that the Germans trained far more intensively than our boys and punished themselves in competition.

And that is perhaps not the least thing to be so considered about our Olympic failures. Blaming defeat on equipment may explain matters to the satisfaction of the rowing body; but it wasn't faulty equipment that disgraced our boxers, our long distance runners, and other athletic

tripped Carbol in the first period but no penalty was assessed, causing MacKinnon and other Flyers to argue with Referee Brown.

Nelson was pulled out of his goal when Dahlstrom scored his goal and Hub also threw his stick at Cully in an attempt to stop his shot.

The Saints had won four successive games prior to last night.

Nelson was credited with only two saves in the third period and totaled only 22 while Almqvist had 24. Both figures indicate a light workout for the goalies but they both had plenty of difficult stops to make.

BEARS AND BILLIKENS PLAY TOMORROW NIGHT

The first game of the city college basketball title series between Washington and St. Louis Universities will be played tomorrow night at the Washington U. Field House.

## CONNELL WILL DEFEND HONORS IN SKATE MEET

Truman Connell St. Louis' national skating champion, this morning advised Ted Young, secretary of the Missouri Skating Association, that he will defend his Southwestern championship in the annual Silver Skates ice carnival at the Arena next Sunday afternoon.

In addition to Connell, such Open title as his national 220-yard and 440-yard championships in the meet at the Arena last December. The Post-Dispatch trophy will go to the Southwestern division winner.

Another important entry received over the week-end was that of Dorothy Franey of St. Paul. Kemper predicted this morning that the entry of Miss Franey will give the women's senior division the keenest competition it has ever known.

For several years Kit Klein of Buffalo has been the leading light in that division here, but next Sunday a great fight is expected between Maddy Horn, 1934 North American indoor champion, and Miss Franey, who won the championship last year, in their first meeting of the current season.

Competing against them will be such leading local stars as Bee Slater, Theresa Swettich, Babe Chase and Amy Thurman.

Other new entries included the younger stars, Junior Perry, juvenile boys' champion; Bob Handian, junior boys' champion, and Alvin Salsaros, who is expected to give Handian considerable competition.

The senior men's division now lists, in addition to Connell, such skaters as Johnny Bretz, St. Louis, who holds the national half-mile title and was an alternate on the Olympic team last year; two members of the Olympic squad, Delbert Lamb and Bob Peterson; St. Louis' outstanding skater, Lamar Otis, who has won one of more Silver Skates titles every year for the past six, and Weber Ley, St. Louis city champion last year.

LOUISIANA STATE IS WINNER IN TRACK MEET WITH PUERTO RICO U.

By the Associated Press.

SAN JUAN, Puerto Rico, Dec. 21. Louisiana State University defeated the University of Puerto Rico 78 to 72 in a track and field meet yesterday, darkness ending the meet with one event uncontested.

It was Puerto Rico's first meeting with another university and Louisiana's first experience off the mainland.

A crowd of more than 5000 saw the visitors break four insular records, one by Salvador Torres, Puerto Rican student at L. S. U., who took the 440-yard hurdles in 56 seconds. Murphy set a new local record in the half mile run. Darling in the javelin throw and Hamilton in the 1500 meters.

HIGH SCHOOL BASKET GAMES THIS WEEK

C. B. C. vs. Webster.

St. Louis U. High vs. Beaumont.

McGrider vs. Almqvist.

Wells vs. Patschke.

Chamaine vs. St. Peter's.

East St. Louis vs. Livingston.

C. B. C. vs. McKinley.

U. City vs. Wood River.

Soldan vs. Wood River.

Alton vs. Collinsville.

## PALANGIO IN MINOR ROLE AS BLACKHAWK SIX GAINS VICTORY

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, Dec. 21.—Pete Palangio, St. Louis Flyer hockey star, who was sold to the Blackhawks last week, rattled away with his new mates on a 10-day road trip today, in the knowledge that he has acquitted himself creditably in his third debut as a major leaguer.

The Italian left wing supplanted Louie Trudell in the Hawk lineup against the Americans, playing with Andy Blair and Bill Kendall and while it was Earl Siebert who stole the show in the Hawks' first home victory and their second of the season by a 2-1 count, Palangio played a minor role in good style.

He got a great hand from the crowd of 10,000 when he made his debut after some 5 minutes of play. After that, his appearances were less frequent. In all, he played about 10 minutes. Apparently he found the smaller ice surface a bit of a handicap, as he had a tendency to swing wide around the nets, but it was apparent, too, that he was under orders to take it easy and lay back a bit until he gets his bearings.

He had two shots on the enemy net—one from far out and another which he laid dead on Roy Worter's stick from close up. But it was his ability to crash the defense and stay up which attracted comment. On at least three occasions he hurled himself at the American rear guard, puck in tow, and while the disc got away from him on the other side, he never missed leaving at least one defense man sprawling while he held his feet and was ready for more action behind the line.

On other games last night the New York Rangers scored three goals during the extra 10 minutes to gain a 5-3 decision over the Montreal Canadiens.

After coming back to tie the score on two goals by Lynn Patrick, the second with only a minute to go, the Rangers shook Cecil Dillon loose in the overtime. He scored the deciding goal in just 25 seconds, rested while Butch Keeling tallied, then passed to Frankie Boucher for another tally before Teo Blake scored for the habitants.

The victory left the Rangers tied for the American section lead with the champion Detroit Red Wings, who conquered the Boston Bruins, 4-3, as the Larry Aurie-Herb Lewis-Martin Barry line figured in three of the four carries.

AMERICAN SECTION.

AL WODICKA ELECTED TO PRESIDENCY OF SOUTH BROADWAY A. C.

Joe Weber was reappointed coach and trainer and Al Wodicka was elected president as members of the South Broadway Athletic Club held their annual election of officers at the club rooms, Seventh and Shenandoah, yesterday.

Weber also will serve as a member of the board of directors, with Tom Conroy and Frank Mick.

Chief Detzel, former boxer, was named treasurer; Joe Herbst Jr., financial secretary, and Bill Judge was elected to the board of directors. Other officers named are: Ray Frank, vice-president, and William Holleman, recording secretary.

George Ising, chairman of the board of directors, and with him, in addition to Judge, will be Joe Gilmaster, John Smart and Harry Eckert.

Hockey Players Traded.

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 21.—Manager Red Dutton of the New York Americans announced last night the purchase of Nels Stewart from the Boston Bruins. Stewart will be in the lineup tomorrow, when the Americans meet the Montreal Maroons in New York. Dutton also confirmed the deal whereby Teddy Graham, Boston Bruins defenseman, comes to the Americans in a trade for Walter Kalbfleisch.

American League Soccer.

At New York: Brookhattan 5, Philadelphia German 3. Brooklyn Hispanos 1, Irish Americans (N. Y.).

At Newark: Scots-American 4, St. Mary's Celtic 2.

At Clifton: N. J. New York Americans 2, Palermo Calabrians 1.

Fourth qualifying round: St. Michael's, Fall River, 1; Providence Sports Club, 0.



Too True.

If Santa Claus were to bring a new set of words to the crossword puzzle addicts it would be appreciated.

This country needs, not war mutilations.

But better cross-word definitions.

The old ones have become so hoary.

In solving them there is no glory.

We'd like to see the last of Ra, The Emu, Dodo and the Spa; And we'll be thankful, goodness knows.

When the three-toed sloth turns up its toes.

Contrary to the rule in most success stories, you never get any glory in football without blocking and interference.

The London Zoo agreed to pay \$350 for a 23-foot python. When the shipment arrived it measured only 15 feet and was rejected. That in itself wouldn't be of more than passing interest if it didn't call attention to the fact that the only animals that have no feet are bought and sold by the foot.

See where the death of the lively rabbit was greatly exaggerated. The rabbit has been given a new lease on life.

The major leagues at their recent joint meeting voted for a beveled edged home plate. The next thing they'll be putting ruffles around the sacks.

L. C. McEvoy, who was given air by the Browns, has been appointed radio censor of the American League. He will see that the ball game gets an even break and that the announcers let the umpires do the umpiring.

Miss Armstrong of Searcy, Ark., built a five-room house with dimes saved from her income in five years.—Believe it or not.

What you might call a house with a Rockefeller foundation.

See where an effort is being made to Scotch the football pass racket. Not the common or garden variety of forward pass but the Annie Oakley issued to students afterwards converted into cash.

Things Not to Worry About.

Those major league records that are broken during the season of 1936.

Local Bowler Second in Two Midwest Events

By the Associated Press.

DES MOINES, Ia., Dec. 21.—Burt Karkow, young Milwaukee team which will compete in the national inter-city table tennis championship tournament to be played at Chicago next month, was named to the team places were determined in the finals of a play-off tournament at the Lorelei Building last night.

Karkow, averaging 245.4 pins for six games, won the singles title with 736, beating out Cornelius Hermann of St. Louis, who counted 709 pins. The Milwaukee team took the all-events with 2076 pins, again finishing ahead of Hermann. The latter posted a 2008 score.

The Daniels-Sooner duo of Des Moines won the doubles with 1352 pins and the Arrow Head Steel Products of Hannibal topped the team title with 3162.

TEAM EVENTS.

Arrowhead Steel Production (Minneapolis) 3162.

Budweisers (St. Louis) 3019.

Crescent Machine (Des Moines) 2998.

Hack Ross Clothes (Des Moines) 2995.

Prager Beer (Chicago) 2981.

DOUBLES.

Daniels-Sooner (Des Moines) 1352.

Barlow-Repp (Milwaukee) 1249.

Daw-Marino (Milwaukee) 1233.

J. Joseph-F. J. Joseph (Omaha) 1278.

Ester-Pfeiffer (Omaha) 1272.

SINGLES.

B. Barlow (Milwaukee) 736.

C. Hermann (St. Louis) 709.

F. Thomas (Peoria) 703.

Messiah (Chicago) 693.

R. Fleckenstein (Fairbault, Minn.) 686.

ALL-EVENTS.

Barlow (Milwaukee) 2076.

Hermann (St. Louis) 2008.

MUSCO, PRO FOOTBALL LEAGUE STAR, MARRIED

By the Associated Press.

DECATUR, Ill., Dec. 21.—George Musco, tackle on the Chicago Bears football team, and Miss Pauline Halford were married yesterday at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Halford, of Decatur. The attendants were Miss Margaret Eymann of Warrensburg, Ill., and George Corbett, a teammate of Musco on the Bears.

Mr. and Mrs. Musco immediately after the ceremony left for a honeymoon in the South. The bride is a Millikin College graduate, member of Delta Delta sorority and has been a teacher at Maroa, Ill. They will live in Decatur.

Has Another Year to Play.

Bill Ingram, star back of the Navy football team, has another year to play.

Hunk Anderson Fired By North Carolina State

By the Associated Press.

RALEIGH, N. C., Dec. 21.—Coach Heartley (Hunk) Anderson of North Carolina State College said this afternoon he had received formal notice from President Frank P. Graham that his services as head football coach would not be needed longer as he "would not fit in the contemplated athletic set-up for the school." Anderson made no comment.

## BOSTON RED SOX PROVED BIGGEST "BUSTS" OF THE 1936 CAMPAIGN

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—Boston's "Gold Sox," who ran sixth in the American League pennant derby after being picked to finish one-two, carry off the booby prize for 1936, so far as the sports experts are concerned.

Thirty-one out of 83 writers in the Associated Press annual poll rated the Boston ball club as the year's No. 1 disappointment, taking into consideration all sports as well as individual and team competition.

On points, the Red Sox led their only serious challenger, Joe Louis, 93 to 41, in the contest for the poll's most dubious distinction.

Eleven experts put the Browns Bombs at the top, because of his knockout by Max Schmeling, an event already rated as the year's biggest combined come-back and upset.

Disappointments or "flops" marked every branch of sporting activity, judging by the nation-wide returns.

Cubs Are Rated Second.

Next to the Red Sox in baseball, the Chicago Cubs were rated the biggest disappointment to their followers. The Detroit Tigers, picked by most critics to repeat in the American League, and the St. Louis Cardinals' pitching staff also were cited.

College football's disappointments depended largely upon the sectional point of view. Ohio State Buckeyes, for failing to be national title contenders, got the most mention, but the Iowa, Kentucky, Georgia Tech, St. Mary's and Fordham gridiron aggregations also were considered "built up for a let-down."

Failure of the American Olympic Committee to reinstate the backstroke swimming queen, Eleanor Holm Jarrett, was voted the main disappointment in connection with the big games in Germany. Unmentioned was the No. 1 tragedy of the Olympics which occurred when the German girls' sprint relay team, while seemingly certain of victory, dropped the baton and did not even finish.

Lawson Little's Failure.

Lawson Little's failure to qualify for the United States open after forsaking amateur ranks was rated golf's main "flop." Brever's decline after a sensational winter start as a three-year-old was voted the turf's biggest disappointment. The elimination of the American Davis Cuppers on home grounds, by Australia, was the saddest blow to tennis followers.

Despite the fact they were not inside right, the visitors went about scoring two goals a half as neatly as some of the playing checkers. Cent Jim McDermott, who was the greatest player here, made skillful use of placed forward passes, side men, and Goaltender Russ looked quite helpless as shots sped into the net. Before half time, Scotty Vining sinking hopes with goal Goalee Joe Somers serious, a muscle and had a perfunctory task in beating three defenders.

At the restart, the pressed immediately and to scoring, but before the finished cheering, McDermott, who had been in the game, was out of the field. Replacement Zensen in at left fullback, outside right and Hebbel to left halfback. McDermott patched up team as the Shamrocks' regular in the team two goals down.

By sheer aggressive play, Nilsen got the ball through backs and Rose rammed from very close quarters. Gonsalves Goes to.

In the next minute McDermott went tearing again, and when he tried to block his path, numbers, he bowled the one and one of them, Center Jim Kenny, was unable to suffer a badly bruised outside right position, hoped to get by with little success. With a weakened line, the Clevelanders' magic defensive touch was not many minutes to Strattman hit a bullet.

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# BREAK THREE GOALS IN LAST 15 MINUTES WIN FOR SHAMROCKS

## 5-3 TRIUMPH IS NINTH OF CAMPAIGN FOR LOCAL ELEVEN

McDermott Tallies Three Times for Cleveland Eleven — Heidelberg, of Pittsburgh, Here Next.

Lineups and Summary

SHAMROCKS (5) GRAPHITE BRONZE (3)

Winning a game is always lots of fun for the fortunate players and their followers, but there are varying degrees of satisfaction connected with a victory, depending upon the manner in which the thing is accomplished.

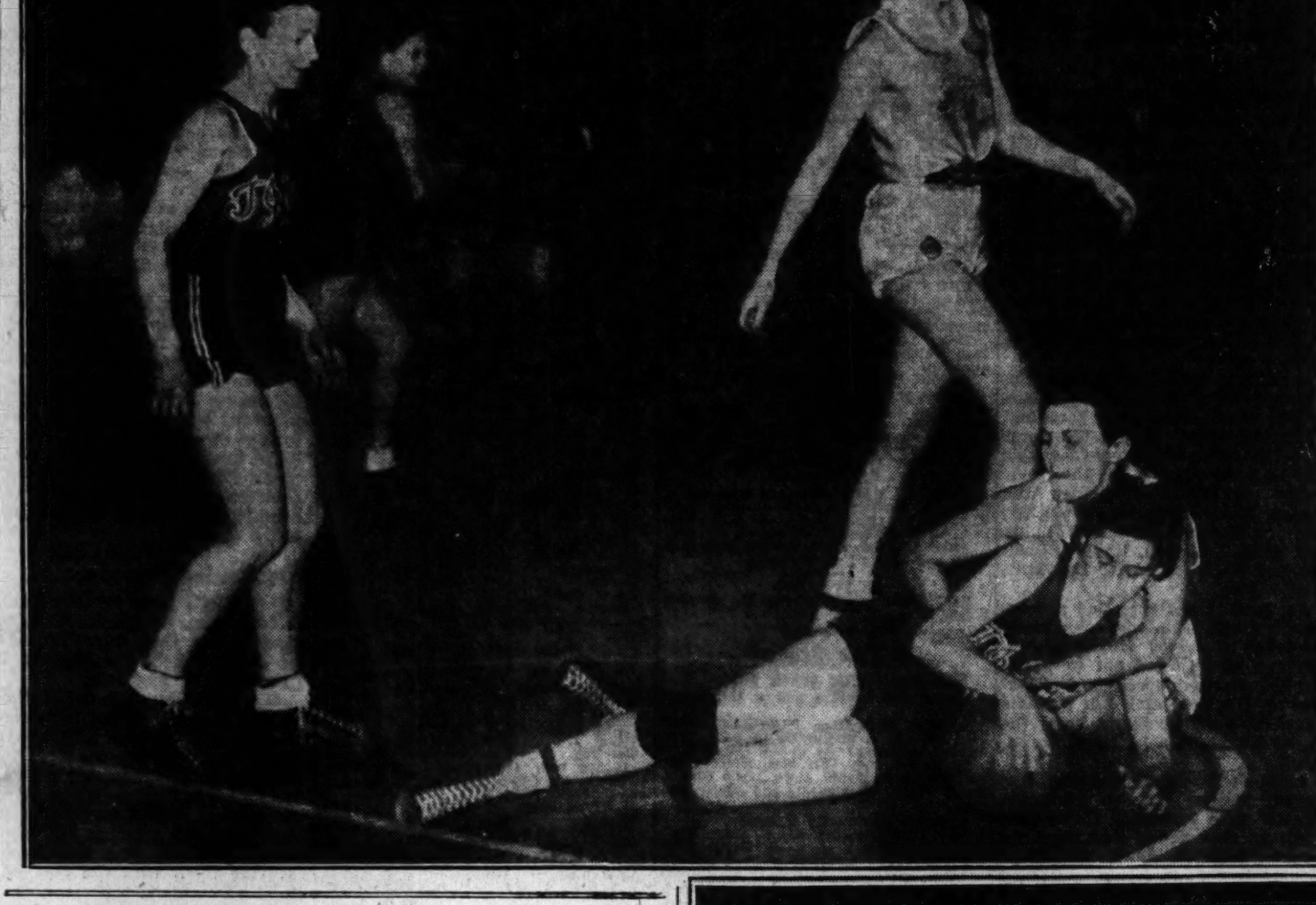
By Dent McKimming.

No Kidding! Dizzy Dean Says He Won't Pitch for Cardinals Unless He Is Paid \$100,000

By the Associated Press.

BRADENTON, Fla., Dec. 21.—Even the arduous task of decorating a Christmas tree couldn't keep Dizzy Dean's mind off baseball and his future yesterday.

# On the Basketball Floor with the Shaw-Stephens Girls



100 AMERICAN ATHLETES WILL SEEK HONORS IN CUBAN CARNIVAL

By the Associated Press.

Curtis Is Victor In Novice Fencing

George Curtis of Webster Groves defeated Leslie Slom of Washington University team in the final match of a novice fencing tournament at the Fencers' Club yesterday to take first place honors among eight finalists.

Y. M. H. A. WRESTLERS TO MEET DOWNTOWN "Y"

Bill Watson again reported an injured knee. Had he been able to play he might have strengthened the defense but it is doubtful if he would have been as useful to his forwards as was Begley, his understudy.

# 74-Year-Old Boxer In 'Comeback' Bout On New Year's Day

By the Associated Press.

IRLANDO, Fla., Dec. 21.—Joe Tinker, former baseball star, seemed on the road to recovery today, after being gravely ill for weeks.

Below: Bernice Frillman, Madeline Quilter of Chicago and Alois Mertensmeyer of St. Louis in a scramble for the ball.

MISS FRILLMAN STARS IN SHAW GIRLS' VICTORY OVER CHICAGO

Bernice Frillman's five field goals combined with some very inaccurate shooting by their opponents enabled the Shaw-Stephens girls' basketball team to score their fourth straight victory in their match with the T. J. Bowlers of Chicago, played at Maplewood High School gymnasium yesterday afternoon.

THE BOX SCORES

Wabash (24) vs. Polish Falcons (33)

Food Center (33) vs. Friedens (27)

# New Brownie Owners To Pay Ball Estate \$225,000 This Week

Special messengers today began the distribution of stock in the American League Baseball Co. of St. Louis, the new corporation operating the Browns, according to an announcement by Donald L. Barnes, president of the club.

More than 400 St. Louisans have participated in the new ownership under the "share-the-ball-club" policy of the Barnes syndicate.

Agreement With Terre Haute.

WESTERN LEAGUE WILL OPEN WITH SIX CLUBS

By the Associated Press.

DAVENPORT, Ia., Dec. 21.—Western League baseball club owners voted yesterday to start the 1937 season with six teams, playing a 130-game schedule opening May 4.

SONJA HENIE DENIES REPORT OF ENGAGEMENT

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 21.—Sonja Henie, champion Olympic skater, and Tyrone Power, actor, whom Hollywood gossip has reported engaged, left on a (TWA) liner yesterday for the East. They have denied the engagement.

SPORTS EQUIPMENT







LDING  
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Associated Press.  
ENDALE, Cal., Dec. 21.—  
re Von Elm, once the master  
golf of the country, came  
into championship glory  
with the reacquisition of the  
California Open Cup.  
Elm, looking little older  
the day 10 years ago when  
at the great Bobby Jones  
national amateur crown, struck  
yesterday to a 72-hole  
of 69-68-70-72—279, nine un-  
der.  
Hollywood pro pocketed \$400.  
Bassler, Long Beach, Cal.  
sional, edged out Olin Dutra  
Los Angeles for second place  
of \$250, shooting a 68 on the  
8 holes for 232.  
ra missed a pair of putts  
an a yard. They cost him  
He took a 283 to win the  
\$150.

For money winners and scores:  
Hunter, St. Louis, 275—285.  
White, St. Louis, 275—285.  
Perrell, Lake Tahoe, 275—285.  
Wadsworth, Hollywood, 280—287.  
Jonas, Whittier, 280—287.  
Bell, Pasadena, 283—288.  
Kerrin, Santa Monica, 283—288.  
Hunt, Quebec, Canada, 285—289.  
Fresler, San Gabriel, 285—289.  
Holstad, Minneapolis, 285—289.  
Mangrum, San Francisco, 285—289.

Only Old-Timers Left.  
Carpenter, chief of umpires,  
illy Manley, secretary-treas-  
are the only old-timers who  
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ke matters nonchalantly,  
in track and field. To be a  
winner of the Olympics  
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• Powerful Long and Short Wave

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• Automatic Aerial Tuning  
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• Mystic-Ray Tuning Eye  
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• Automatic Aerial Tuning  
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LABOR ACT ARGUMENT  
Justice Stone, Who Has  
May Be Present  
By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec.  
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Prof. Samuel E. Bassett  
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PART THREE

# REVOLT IN CHINA REPORTED TO HAVE SPREAD TO KANSU

Nanking Hears General Yu  
Has Sided With Chang—  
Province a Stronghold of  
Chinese Communists.

## REBELS IN RETREAT, FALL BACK ON SIANFU

Troops Sent to Rescue Gen-  
eralissimo Chiang Cap-  
ture Two Mutinous Bat-  
talions in Battle.

NANKING, Dec. 21.—While Nan-  
king troops sent to rescue General-  
issimo Chiang Kai-shek captured  
two battalions of Shensi rebels and  
advanced within 25 miles of Mar-  
shal Chang Hsueh-liang's strong-  
hold at Sianfu, reports were re-  
ceived today that the revolt had  
spread to Kansu Province.

Gen. Yu Hsueh-chung, chairman  
of the Kansu Provincial Govern-  
ment, was said to have declared in  
favor of Marshal Chang.

Troops of Gen. Yu, the reports  
said, raided the Bureau of Public  
Safety, disarmed police and ran-  
sacked the headquarters of the Pro-  
vincial Pacification Commissioner.  
Shigeru Kawagoe, the Japanese  
Ambassador, arrived here from  
Shanghai. It was reported he car-  
ried word from his Government  
that Japan was deeply concerned  
over any terms of settlement that  
might be reached with Chang and  
if they were detrimental to Japan-  
ese interests, Tokio would be com-  
pelled to act.

**Battle Near Sianfu.**  
Nanking troops were reported to  
be driving retreating rebels back  
on Sianfu, following the first bat-  
tle of the Civil War to be official-  
ly announced.

T. V. Soong, brother-in-law of  
Chiang, returned to Nanking today  
and called a conference of the  
Soong and Chiang families. Dr.  
Soong was understood to have been  
at Sianfu conferring informally  
with Chang on terms for re-  
lease of Chiang. Nanking officials  
interpreted the development as a  
hopeful sign that Chang was "ready  
to see reason."

Reports persisted that Chang was  
willing to free Chiang and go into  
exile if his personal safety was  
guaranteed.

**No Word From Missionaries.**  
No reports have been received  
from American missionaries in  
Lanchow, the provincial capital.  
Foreigners in other Western Pro-  
vinces, including Shensi, seat of the  
uprising, had reported their safety.  
Herman Swenson of Jersey City,  
N. J., of the China Inland Mission  
at Sianfu, telegraphed the United  
States Embassy all Americans were  
safe at Sianfu. Similar assurance  
was received from Hankow, Hupeh  
Province, that missionaries in East  
Kansu Province were safe.

The Rev. W. Englund, American  
missionary attached to the Scandi-  
navian Alliance Mission at Sianfu,  
wired Hankow that Sianfu authori-  
ties had given them assurances of  
protection.

"Principal danger," he said, "ap-  
pears to be from possible air raids."

**Anti-Japanese General.**  
Reports of the Lanchow revolt  
were at variance with previous re-  
ports, which said that Gen. Yu had  
been captured Dec. 12 with Chiang.  
Gen. Yu, former Governor of  
Hepi Province, is a bitter enemy  
of Japan, and was forced from his  
Hepi position by the demands of  
Japanese military authorities in  
North China.

One of Marshal Chang's original  
demands for release of Chiang was  
against the Japanese and con-  
solidation of Communist elements  
in the national government.

Kansu Province is one of the last  
strongholds of Communism in  
China.

## LABOR ACT ARGUMENTS FEB. 8

Justice Stone, Who Has Been Ill,  
May Be Present.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—Argu-  
ments on constitutionality of the  
Wagner Labor Relations Act will  
be heard by the Supreme Court  
during the week of Feb. 8, perhaps  
with Justice Stone present.

It was made known today that  
the time had been fixed definitely  
at the request of Solicitor-General  
Stanley Reed. The arguments had  
been expected either in January or  
February. Justice Stone, ill with  
dysentery since Oct. 31, left yester-  
day for the South to recuperate.

There were reports he had gone  
either to Hot Springs, Ark., or Hot  
Springs, Va.

Prof. Samuel E. Bassett Dies.  
By the Associated Press.

BURLINGTON, Vt., Dec. 21.—  
Prof. Samuel E. Bassett, 60 years  
old, head of the Greek department  
at the University of Vermont and  
former president of the American  
Philological Society, died today.

# Woman in Foreign Office In Paris Arrested as Spy

Employee Accused of Trying to Get Data on  
Arms' Shipments to Spain—Man  
Also Held.

By the Associated Press.

PARIS, Dec. 21.—Arrest of a  
French woman employee of the  
French Foreign Office and her  
Lithuanian friend, for an alleged  
attempt to obtain information on  
arms shipments to Spain, was dis-  
closed yesterday.

Mme. Susanne Linder, 40 years  
old, mother of two children, was ar-  
rested Dec. 12 charged with forging  
public documents and signatures.  
Michael Rosenfeld, real estate deal-  
er, was charged with use of false  
passports and violation of an ex-  
pulsion order.

Both the Surete Nationale and  
the Foreign office refused to give  
details of the arrests, but Paris  
newspapers said Mrs. Linder had  
obtained several documents in  
blank and sent them to Rosen-  
feld. She had been employed at  
the Foreign Office as secretary for  
nearly 20 years. Police searched  
both her home and Rosenfeld's  
apartment and office.

**Newspaper's Story.**  
The newspaper Le Matin said  
she "reportedly attempted to pro-  
cure information of current inter-

est, particularly traffic in arms to  
Spain, to communicate it to Rosen-  
feld."

According to the newspaper she  
had been the subject of an admin-  
istrative investigation as far back  
as 1927.

She had first aroused suspicions  
when she asked questions concern-  
ing affairs in other services than  
her own. The Surete Nationale  
traced her and discovered her  
friendship for Rosenfeld, who was  
described by employees of the hotel  
where he lived as handsome and  
perfectly mannered.

After exhaustive investigations of  
both alleged plotters, newspapers  
said, the operatives laid a trap for  
Mme. Linder by permitting her to  
take blank forms which, when  
properly filled out, would facilitate  
shipments of arms and munitions  
out of France.

**Alleged Spanish Connections.**

Newspapers said she turned the  
forms over to Rosenfeld, whose real  
estate business seemed to tie him  
to his office very little. Rightist  
papers indicated he was an agent  
for the Spanish Government while  
Leftist papers suggested he was in  
the service of the Spanish Fascists.

# INTER-AMERICAN PEACE SESSION ENDS WORK

Approves 37 Projects at Plen-  
ary Meeting at Buenos  
Aires.

By the Associated Press.

BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 21.—The  
inter-American peace conference  
ended its formal labors today with  
approval of 37 projects designed to  
strengthen bonds among the 21  
American republics and liberalize  
trade policies.

In plenary session it sanctioned  
a Central American declaration for  
complete American solidarity if  
war anywhere threatens the West-  
ern world, resolutions urging low-  
ered tariffs and equality of trade  
opportunities, and other plans to  
cement peace and improve commer-  
cial and cultural relations.

The delegates stood silent for one  
minute at the opening, in memory  
of the victims of the earthquake at  
San Vicente, El Salvador.

Secretary of State Cordell Hull,  
chief of the United States delega-  
tion, did not attend the plenary  
session. He was working on his  
speech to be made at the final meet-  
ing to the three-week parley, set for  
Wednesday.

Jose Manuel Cortina, Cuban Sec-  
retary of State, in reporting on the  
economic and trade resolutions, de-  
clared: "The conference has pro-  
duced peace instruments which re-  
move the fear of war in America,  
enabling the American continent to  
go forward in economic recovery."  
The conference's action, he said,  
"although not pacifying the world,  
gives it an example to follow."

# RUSSIAN UNABLE TO BUY ANIMALS HE WANTED IN U. S.

Director of Import Trust Accepted  
Only 1400 of 15,000  
Offered.

By the Associated Press.

MOSCOW, Dec. 21.—F. J. Volik,  
director of the All-Union Import  
Trust, returned from the United  
States somewhat dissatisfied yester-  
day.

He had gone with specialists of  
the Russian Commissariat of Agri-  
culture to buy thoroughbred sheep  
and goats for collective farms. Al-  
though the mission visited 14 states,  
Volik said, it was unable to buy  
all the animals it wanted.

"The United States didn't quite  
justify our hopes," he said, em-  
phasizing the strict demands the  
buying expedition made on quality.  
"And we were not able to obtain  
a sufficient number of sheep or  
goats."

"Out of 15,000 or 16,000 animals  
offered in 14 states, we found only  
700 sheep and 700 Angora goats  
which met our requirements."

## VIRGIN OF EL COBRE CROWNED

60,000 See Ceremony at Eucharistic  
Congress at Santiago, Cuba.

By the Associated Press.

SANTIAGO, Cuba, Dec. 21.—The  
brown virgin of El Cobre was  
crowned yesterday before pilgrims  
to the Eucharistic Congress here  
and spectators, estimated at 60-  
000.

The Archbishops of Havana and  
Santiago, three Bishops and Lib-  
erato Tosti, charge d'affaires of the  
papal nunciature, participated in  
the coronation ceremony in which  
a \$15,000 crown was placed on her  
statue. The statue—15 inches high  
—was carried to El Cobre sanctu-  
ary, 12 miles away, under an es-  
cort of civil and military authori-  
ties.

# RUSSIA TO INCLUDE RELIGION IN CENSUS

Belief in God One of Five  
Principal Questions in  
Survey.

By the Associated Press.

MOSCOW, Dec. 21.—The new  
Russian census will include a sur-  
vey of religion among the peo-  
ple. Whether he believes in God

will be one of the five principal  
questions to be asked of each citi-  
zen over 16 in the national census  
next month. The other questions  
will ask name, age, occupation, and  
whether married.

Newspapers have devoted lengthy  
articles urging the people to answer  
frankly, reminding that the answers  
will be reported to those who  
still profess the faith are entitled  
to freedom of worship by constitu-  
tional guarantees.

"If you do not believe in God,  
say so, even if you were baptized  
and once worshiped," Moscow new-  
spapers advised.

Coincidental with the census pro-  
ject, the Communist youth organi-  
zation, Konsemol, urged that the  
"religious center" in Bashkir, au-  
tonomous republic west of the  
Ural Mountains, be transformed  
into a health resort. Thousands  
still are reported to worship at  
Tabynsk, in Bashkir, where nearby  
springs are said by some to have  
miraculous curative powers.

The Konsemol contends, how-  
ever, the springs actually are min-  
eral waters with curative properties  
which in no sense are miraculous.

# FRENCH VEGETABLE GROWERS VOTE TO END THEIR STRIKE

Most of Demands Met, Says Leader  
of Boycott Against Markets in  
Paris.

By the Associated Press.

PARIS, Dec. 21.—Truck garden-  
ers who ordered a strike to boycott  
Paris vegetable markets last Mon-  
day voted yesterday to return to  
work tomorrow.

Henri Dorgères, leader of the  
green-shirt "peasant front" as  
spokesman for the farmers, said  
they had been promised satisfac-  
tion on most of their demands. He  
declared the strike "succeeded in  
its purpose in bringing truck gar-  
deners' problems to the attention  
of the Government."

One of the chief demands of the  
farmers was a uniform price for  
their products from retailers and  
wholesalers. Heretofore, they  
charged wholesalers paid one price  
and retailers another.

## HUNGARIAN DUELIST A FATHER

Girl Born to Wife of Doctor Who  
Has Had Three Fights.

By the Associated Press.

BUDAPEST, Hungary, Dec. 21.—  
Frau Franz Sarga, wife of the doc-  
tor who set out to fight nine duels,  
became the mother of a daughter  
today. Sarga, whose successive af-  
fairs of honor were the talk of Bu-  
dapest for weeks, was momentarily  
crestfallen. "I had hoped for an-  
other duelist," he said. His 20-year-  
old wife said: "One duelist in the  
family is more than enough."

Frau Sarga is the granddaughter  
of a wealthy banker whose objec-  
tions to her marriage was one of the  
reasons for Sarga's series of chal-  
lenges, which have resulted thus  
far in three duels.

**Bulgaria Recognizes Conquest.**  
ROME, Dec. 21.—Bulgarian Min-  
ister Svetoslav Pomenov informed  
the Italian Government today his  
country intended to establish a Con-  
sulate-General in Addis Ababa. The  
act is tantamount to recognition of  
Italian annexation of Ethiopia.

# ITALY OPENS NEW INDUSTRIAL ZONE ALONG FRONTIER

Factories and Government-  
Built Homes for Mil-  
lions Designed to Swell  
Non-Germanic Population

By the Associated Press.

BOLZANO, Italy, Dec. 21.—Mus-  
solini's fight to erect a human for-  
tress along the Austrian frontier  
and to Italianize the Tyrol region  
taken from Austria following the  
World War was given concrete ex-  
pression yesterday by inauguration  
of the industrial zone of Bolzano,  
Cabinet Ministers and Government  
officials attended.

The industrial zone is composed  
of new and extensive factories. They  
are designed to attract the Italian  
workman to this region, so as to  
balance the population of Austrian  
origin. They are surrounded by  
Government-built workmen's houses,  
new and comfortable.

The problem of the Austrian fron-  
tier province was outlined recently  
in an exhaustive work by the fron-  
tier expert, Paolo Drigo. According  
to his estimate there are now 75,000  
Italians in the Tyrolalto Adige sec-  
tion, compared with 55,000 Italians  
at the end of the World War, so  
that from 1918 on the increase  
has been 20,000. That is only 30 per  
cent of the total population, which  
means that more than two-thirds  
of the people here are of Austrian  
(Germanic) origin.

Of the whole Italian population  
in the Tyrol region, however, Drigo  
asserted, only 30 per cent is a stable  
population. Of the number that  
entered the district after the war,  
he added, only 8 to 10 per cent are  
stable.

"And of our stable population,"  
he added, "only a very small part,  
perhaps a sixth, fulfills functions  
of a higher class in the social  
order."

"We are therefore faced with the  
incontrovertible fact that our mi-  
nority cannot make itself felt in  
proportion to its numbers, because  
two-thirds of it does not possess  
stability and because of the third  
that is stable only a small part oc-  
cupies an elevated or at least inde-  
pendent place in the social order."

# In Stockholm to Receive Nobel Prize Awards of 1936



From left: DR. CARL ANDERSON, PROF. OTTO LOEWI, PROF. VICTOR HESS, PROF. PETER DEBYE and SIR HENRY DALE. Seated: MRS. LOEWI, LADY DALE and MRS. DEBYE.

The prize for physics was divided between Prof. Hess of Innsbruck University, Austria, and Prof. Anderson of California Institute of Technology. Prof. Debye of Kaiser Wilhelm Institute for Physics won the prize for chemistry. Dr. Dale of London and Prof. Loewi of Graz (Austria) University won the joint award for medicine and psychology.

# RUSSIAN SCIENTISTS ACCUSED OF VIOLATING CONSTITUTION

Ouster of Two From Academy  
Sought for Refusal to Return to  
Soviet Union.

By the Associated Press.

MOSCOW, Dec. 21.—Expulsion of  
two members of the Russian Acad-  
emy of Sciences was demanded to-  
day by V. Komarov, secretary of  
the academy.

The two are Vladimir N. Ipatiev,  
now in the United States, and Alex-  
is Chichibabin, thought to be  
working in Europe. Komarov said  
the two had violated articles 130  
and 133 of the new Constitution by  
refusing to return to Russia to  
continue their work.

Ipatiev went to the United  
States several years ago, obtained  
employment with an oil company,  
and has refused to return to Mos-  
cow, Komarov said. He is now en-  
gaged in research dealing with  
high compression studies.

Chichibabin, an expert on oil,  
acids and alkalis, was declared  
to have demanded a written guar-  
antee that he would be unmolested

# and allowed full liberty if he were to return.

Komarov declared the scientists  
had violated their duty to the So-  
viet Union by engaging in chem-  
ical experiments in foreign coun-  
tries where the results of their  
work might be utilized against Rus-  
sia in case of war.

## NOTED BRITISH SURGEON DIES

Sir John Bland-Sutton Ex-Head of  
Royal Society of Medicine.

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, Dec. 21.—Sir John  
Bland-Sutton, consulting surgeon in  
Middlesex Hospital and former  
president of the Royal College of  
Surgeons, died here yesterday.

He was president of the Royal  
Society of Medicine in 1921-22.

By the Associated Press.

**German Archeologist Dies.**  
BERLIN, Dec. 21.—Theodor Wie-  
gand, 72 years old, president of the  
German Archeological Institute and  
widely known for his excavations  
in Greece, died yesterday. He at  
one time was director of Berlin's  
Museum of Antiquities.

# SUDDEN DECREE RETIRES NAZI FLEET COMMANDER

Navy Ministry Refuses Comment  
on Displacement of Foerster  
by Admiral Carls.

By the Associated Press.

BERLIN, Dec. 21.—Vice-Admiral  
Richard Foerster, commander of  
the fleet, was suddenly ordered re-  
tired today, effective Jan. 1. The  
fleet lowered his flag a few hours  
after the order became known. The  
retirement was decreed despite the  
fact that Foerster is only 57, eight  
years short of the usual retirement  
age.

Rear Admiral Carls, who has  
commanded Nazi ships in the Span-  
ish evacuation, succeeds Foerster.  
The Navy Ministry declined to  
comment on reasons for the retire-  
ment of Foerster, who became fleet  
commander in 1933.

By the Associated Press.

**Maj.-Gen. Pool Dies in England.**  
PAR, CORNWALL, England, Dec.  
21.—Major-General Sir Frederick  
Cuthbert Pool, 67 years old, com-  
mander of the North Russian Ex-  
peditionary Force in 1919, died here  
today of pneumonia.

# CUBAN PRESIDENT VETOES SUGAR TAX BILL

Gomez Paves Way for His Im-  
peachment on Which House  
Will Act Today.

By the Associated Press.

HAVANA, Dec. 21.—President  
Miguel Mariano Gomez has vetoed  
the \$1,500,000 sugar tax bill, paving  
the way for prospective impeach-  
ment proceedings instituted by his  
political opponents. Senator Oc-  
tavo Rivero announces today. The  
Senator said the chief executive  
had informed him of his action at  
a conference in the presidential  
palace. The vetoed measure will be  
sent to the Senate this afternoon.  
Opponents of President Gomez  
declared today his impeachment  
was necessary "for the welfare of  
the nation and to preserve the Con-  
stitution."

The anti-Gomez forces, lined up  
behind Col. Fulgencio Batista,  
claimed 120 of the 169 votes in the  
House of Representatives, eight  
more than the two-thirds necessary  
to impeach the President.

Members of the House were sum-  
moned to an extraordinary session  
at 5 p. m. today to hear the im-  
peachment charges. Gomez, if im-  
peached, would be tried before the  
Senate.

# HITLER SENDS HIS PORTRAIT AND FOOD TO HOMES OF NEEDY

Cards in Christmas Packages Sent  
to 3,000,000 Say "Der Fuehrer  
Thinks of You."

By the Associated Press.

BERLIN, Dec. 21.—Three million  
German homes have received  
Christmas cards from Chancellor  
Hitler—each card packed in a festi-  
vally decorated carton containing  
sausages, canned herrings, coffee,  
cheese, cookies, sugar, canned milk  
and canned vegetables.

The cards are captioned "Ger-  
man Christmas, 1936," and enclosed  
in each is a portrait of Hitler op-  
posite the greeting "Der Fuehrer  
thinks of you."

The packages were delivered by  
Hitler youths and maidens to small  
pensioners, disabled war veterans  
and jobless on winter and relief  
rolls.

By the Associated Press.

**American Surgeons Organize.**  
NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—A United  
States chapter of the International  
College of Surgeons, established at  
Geneva two years ago, was orga-  
nized here Saturday night by more  
than 60 surgeons from 20 states.  
Dr. Andre Crotti of Columbus, O.,  
was elected president. The orga-  
nization will offer annual prizes to  
stimulate research in surgery.

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JOSEPH PULITZER.  
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## LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

## A Grateful Widow.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:  
DURING the depression, my husband lost his job in the same manner that thousands of other men did. He received a relief job on the WPA program which gave him three days' work per week. While this job greatly aided our family of four children, my husband and me, it did not fulfill our needs. While working for the WPA, my husband was assigned to the St. Louis County Highway Department as a welder.  
At the time he was working on this project, he met John M. Crutinger, County Surveyor of St. Louis County, and explained our circumstances to him. Mr. Crutinger gave my husband a chance to work on a steady job as a welder in the county highway garage. This steady job was a great help to our "then happy family." While working for Mr. Crutinger, my husband voluntarily joined the County Highway Club and through his membership in this organization we enjoyed many pleasant social functions. On Nov. 18, 1936, my husband expired quite suddenly from a heart attack. In this hour of trouble and deep sorrow, the officers of the St. Louis County Highway Club were very helpful and I was presented with a check for \$1000 by an insurance company. My husband was informed that it was a pension in full for the group life insurance policy that my husband had had the privilege of participating in as a member of the club.  
The existence of this policy was entirely unknown to me, and it has been so helpful to our family that I wish publicly to thank you and every member of the St. Louis County Highway Club for its kind and benevolent actions at this time.

MRS. ALICE L. SWANSON.

## Would Use Baldwin's Services.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:  
LONDON BRIDGE certainly isn't falling down. That take-out in hearts was skillful, and Premier Baldwin cleverly fished his King.

Bring Baldwin to America and let him devise a plan for getting rid of Roosevelt. Then, let him really try his skill by disposing of LOUIS K. BLOOM.

## Urges Municipal Gas Plant.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:  
THE most sensible thing I have read was in the letter column a short time ago, relative to the smoke, which certainly hurts St. Louis in every way. That was that the city stop playing around with the riverfront and other matters that don't mean much to the bulk of the citizens, and buy the gas plant right. The city should go into making gas and selling it cheap so everyone could use it. This, with coke, would transform the whole city and county.

This would mean running the gas plant as the Water Department is run. There would be some sense in buying such bonds rather than the bonds for the other kinds that bring no direct return and mean a constant expense to the city, and for what?

With the smoke gone, West End property would increase in value more than can be figured offhand, and fine residences, now being sold down to the taxes, would again be clean and places where people would want to live.

W. C. J.

## Grand Jury's Disregard of Duty.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:  
As a citizen and voter, I rise to nominate your staff to prosecute the case of the grand jury scandal to the bitter end, as you did the primary election frauds. Do I hear a second?

If this display of contemptuous disregard of duty and assumption of authority is to be tolerated, let's get to the root of the evil by impeaching the grand jury from beneath the chip before signing over our birthright. Otherwise, where are we headed?

T. A. WRAY.

## In Praise of Elsie Robinson.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:  
WE are grateful to the Post-Dispatch for Elsie Robinson's column. It is indeed food for a spiritually starved people. It meets our daily needs.

MRS. MARY GRAN.

## To a Dog Poisoner.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:  
ONE of the most contemptible acts was perpetrated by some unscrupulous moron in placing bits of poisoned meat in the vicinity of Eichelberger and Brannon streets. He can now laugh in knowing his dastardly deed has saddened the families who owned the three dogs which were poisoned. We hope he now rejoices in knowing these three dogs have guarded children and homes against just such vermin as he.

In face of the aches he has caused the writer and the children who are constantly calling for their former pals, we wish him a Merry Christmas.

ARTHUR WENIG,  
J. REYNOLDS.

## Says Wars Are for Robbery.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:  
THE true history will never be written of any of our wars. The Spanish-American, the Civil War, or any other. Why keep Zarathustra's memoirs or his history secret? All wars are for robbery, the modern ones as well as those of Napoleon, Caesar, Alexander and the other ancient Generals.

EDWARD G. PULLEY.  
Marion, Ill.

## THE MISSOURI PACIFIC'S STORY.

St. Louis has been following the Senate Committee's inquiry into the tangled affairs of the Van Sweringen with an earnest and substantial interest. The reason is, of course, the Missouri Pacific.

The country awoke with a start one morning to learn that the Van Sweringens had gobbled up the Missouri Pacific. Nothing more incredible had occurred in the whole incredible career of the Cleveland brothers who, on a shoe string, had founded a railroad empire. They had established themselves in the legendary succession of transportation giants. They entered the Olympian company of the Vanderbilts, Goulds, Fisks, Hills and Harrimans, and in daring and resourcefulness had proved themselves every inch as Napoleonic.

Here in St. Louis, we had watched their meteoric rise from nowhere to power and dominion with eager curiosity, spiced, to be sure, with awe. Still, our attitude was academic. That attitude changed abruptly when the Missouri Pacific was subjugated. For the Missouri Pacific was a St. Louis railroad with whose repute and prosperity the fortune of St. Louis was indissolubly bound.

In the mutations of the years, that railroad had had good days and bad days. Its bad days were chargeable to the neglect and incompetence of an absentee ownership. Under that ownership, its management had been guilty of the practices that finally broke down public patience and organized a militant public hostility to the whole category of railroads. To trace the history step by step is an opus far beyond editorial compass. But all St. Louis remembers that when L. W. Baldwin assumed the presidency, the Missouri Pacific entered upon a renaissance that continued ascendingly until the fateful appearance of Van Sweringen occupancy.

The Senate inquiry has taken cognizance of Mr. Baldwin's services, the rehabilitation of a great property under energetic and brilliant operation. That is the one happy note of the current investigation. All the rest of it is the unsavory story of manipulation and exploitation under the pall of the holding company's secretive, devious and thoroughly evil genius.

Does anyone imagine that, with Mr. Baldwin in charge, the Missouri Pacific, in the black days of the depression, would have bought the terminals in Kansas City and St. Joseph? How could a company, unable at the time to meet its obligations and, therefore, virtually insolvent, take on that additional burden of millions? As a matter of fact, the Missouri Pacific did not knowingly make that investment. That was a Van Sweringen coup. It was to be accomplished with the securities of a top holding company, the Alleghany Corporation. But Alleghany shares were not acceptable, so the bonds of the Missouri Pacific were put up as collateral, and subsequently the Missouri Pacific was to pay by installments this bill for the terminals. Those payments, as has been told, were carried in the books of the Missouri Pacific as "special deposits." The entry has been denounced as "false and misleading." And the account of the Missouri Pacific, after a resentful explosion, has admitted the items would not have been so carried had he known what was done with the money. He has admitted, further, that it was impossible for him to get facts and information which he should have had properly to keep the books. Who withheld those facts? The Van Sweringens are dead and cannot answer, but that is where the answer lies.

The inquiry also has ripped away the high pretensions of banker control of the railroads and shown it for what it is and what it is known to be. Here was a banking house that had profited handsomely in the business of financing the Missouri Pacific, but was now ready, on its own testimony, to "let the road go bust." But it did furnish a loan to the Missouri Pacific for a strategic purpose and then it called a loan, also for the strategic purpose of enabling the Missouri Pacific to borrow from the Government through the RFC. If Government money had not been available, the bank would have washed its hands of the Missouri Pacific, be the consequences what they would.

The Missouri Pacific's experience with banker control epitomizes the experience of all the railroads. So, too, does the Missouri Pacific's experience with the Van Sweringens and their holding companies. The Senate inquiry, still incomplete, has proceeded far enough to emphasize afresh a conclusion unreservedly reached by public opinion. That is that the railroads must be rescued from banker control and holding company control.

Let railroad men, as typified by Baldwin of the Missouri Pacific, run our railroads.

## BREAKING IT GENTLY.

The British Parliament is renowned for the ability of its members to clothe their most deadly thoughts in suavely euphemistic phrases. There was, for example, the occasion when Winston Churchill felt it necessary to refer to a statement made by a colleague as a lie. He did not blurt out the short and ugly expression; he stated that the assertion was a "terminological inexactitude."

This rare talent has again been exercised, this time in connection with naval armaments. Sir Samuel Hoare, First Lord of the Admiralty, was telling the House of Commons why the Government had decided to retain five over-age cruisers. Not because it feared that war might break out soon, as some cruder statesman might have put it. Instead, Sir Samuel phrased it much more delicately: "In view of the deterioration of the general international situation."

Britain muddies through, and overwhelms the toughest problem with polite polysyllables.

## CHEAP SARCASM.

"Small-town stuff," the New York police are saying of the capture in that city of a Wisconsin desperado and his wife by J. Edgar Hoover's Department of Justice agents. Sub-machine guns and tear gas bombs may be in the Hollywood tradition. Perhaps a couple of New York policemen could have made the arrest without swinging a club. It is of record, though, that the New York police did not get the widely wanted bandit, Harry Brunette, and Hoover's men did get him. Incidentally, the fight Brunette put up was not that of a punk who would meekly surrender at a tap on the shoulder. Also, he was a criminal with a record of offenses serious enough to earn for him a life term in Federal prison, which he is now serving.

The G-men may be shown. Still, under Hoover's direction, they have disposed, permanently, of many undesirable, and have placed many more where they have ceased for a long time from troubling. As a matter of gratifying fact, they have turned back the crime clock. In the last two years, murder has declined 16 per cent, larceny and burglary 26 per cent,

theft of automobiles more than 25 per cent. The racketeer is still with us, in a variety of activities. He will continue to be with us as long as he and his partner in profits, the unscrupulous lawyer, derive aid and comfort from our antiquated court procedure. But the professional enemies of society are steadily finding the going harder.

This improved state of affairs is due in considerable degree to the Department of Justice agents. The cheap sarcasm of the New York police is the "small-town stuff" in this instance.

## TROUBLE AT A GREAT UNIVERSITY.

More than 100 New York City alumni of the University of Wisconsin have asked the Board of Regents of the university to take no action against Dr. Glenn Frank "until the alumni and the public are apprised of all the facts involved." The request is entirely proper; the open hearing which has been approved by the board should bring out the facts, whatever they are. Thus far, no satisfactory explanation has come from the regents who are opposing Dr. Frank. The fullest statement was that issued last week by Harold M. Wilkie, president of the board, who was no more definite than to say that Dr. Frank "lacked the fundamental qualities necessary for a president."

We hold no brief for Glenn Frank; yet, because of the peculiar place which the University of Wisconsin occupies in the public mind by virtue of its leadership and generally fine academic traditions, what happens to him is a matter of concern outside Wisconsin as well as within the State. The Board of Regents owes it not only to itself and to Dr. Frank, but to the alumni and the educational world as a whole, to provide the public with information on which an intelligent opinion can be based.

Is Dr. Frank, after 11 years at the head of the university, an incompetent administrator? Or is Gov. Philip La Follette, with the regents he has appointed, guilty of political interference with the conduct of an educational institution? The possibility of the latter will shock everyone who knows how jealously the university was protected from political influences in the days of the present Governor's father. Abridgement of academic freedom is abridgement of academic freedom, regardless of who brings it about.

Gov. La Follette, if he remains true to the traditions of Wisconsin and of his family, will be the first to insist that the hearings, now that they have been ordered, seek the truth and nothing else.

## A CHURCH VICTORY OVER HITLER.

Hitler and his Nazis have forced the obedience of all Germany—the political parties, labor unions, business, education, the press, the banks, all cultural and social activities. There is one exception, however—the field of religion. Repeated attempts by the Nazi Government to "co-ordinate" the Protestant and Catholic churches have encountered the most spirited and courageous resistance that any group has dared to give the dictatorship.

Again within the last few days, the Government has been forced to recede from its anti-religious position. As a result, Hitler himself has issued a warning to party leaders to cease their attacks on Christianity, and has ordered Neo-Pagan crusaders to cease their propaganda. This retreat was taken on the advice of Hitler's own followers within the Protestant churches, and because of protests by parents who feared that the incorporation of all children in the Hitler Youth organization would result in their being drawn away from Christianity.

A more important cause was the resistance of farmers, who threatened to obstruct the working out of the Nazi four-year plan if the anti-religious campaign continued. The major credit for this demonstration goes to farmers in the Province of Oldenburg. When a Nazi speaker urged them to produce more food-stuffs, they hooted him off the platform with cries of "Restore the cross! Put the crucifix back in place!" This referred to the action of Nazi agents in removing religious symbols from a schoolroom a few days before.

Hitler meets his master when he seeks to suppress the cherished religious convictions of the German people. They may bow to him in other respects and acclaim his political, but threats of persecution cannot crush their spiritual faith. In Germany's present desperate economic condition, Hitler must make concessions to keep the peasants on his side. The present cessation of the anti-Christian campaign is only a truce, of course, but Hitler will encounter the same stubborn resistance when the drive is resumed.

## WINTER IN YANKEELAND.

As a summer resort, New England has enjoyed a long prestige. In recent years, its manifold attractions have brought visitors in droves, with the happy consequence that its recreational assets have developed into an enterprise of magnitude, yielding the twin dividends of pleasure and profit.

And now the Yankees are hitching winter to their economic star. Someone, flitting from Byron, perhaps, speaks of that rugged terrain "where the hills look always to the south and southward streams the sea." But the notion must be dismissed that Maine, along in September, looks itself up in banked and snowbound isolation to hibernate until released by April's tender smile. That may have been true of the "softies" of other days. Their harder descendants, plumed in gray Alpine feathers, are enlivening the windswept heights with swift, stimulating darts and flights and tumbles.

The ski has brought arctic New England back to the latitude and longitude of joyous living. The whole map of Maine is a sparkling invitation. Fryeburg, North Berwick, Camden, Rumford, Lewiston, Bar Harbor, Bangor and the Bald Mountain trails—there they are, with inns where the wood fire blazes, with snug weather-proof cottages, with transportation by plane or train or bus or motor car, and across the white packed levels, if one elects, the jingle of sleigh bells.

Enough of Maine. A Marco Polo in New England would look on Vermont and find it good. Waiving the logic of time, some lines of "Dolores" might adjust themselves to his emotion:

Seven fawns were awarded you, Roma,  
But Vermont's are as seventy times seven.

And in living parallel to Vermont's proud greenery are New Hampshire's White Mountains, long skylines of eternal architecture, where the skiers of the world find at Tuckerman's Ravine or Crawford's Notch the lure of dazzling hazard. And Massachusetts, smiling indulgently on the pretensions of her neighbors, presents the flanks and bastions of the Berkshires to the sons of "akidom" who ride the slopes and spaces.

So the bleak, shivering solitudes of what was once New England's wintry desolation are now a throbbing carnival. Yankee thrift is making the snowdrifts of December as rare as a day in June.



"... All Through the House  
Not a Creature Was Stirring, Not Even a Mouse."

## Vagaries of the Electoral College

Latest tabulation of election results shows that Roosevelt got 60.7 per cent of popular vote and 98.4 per cent of electoral vote; in nine of last 21 elections, winners received minority of total popular ballots, yet all except Hayes had large electoral majorities; such disparities stimulate movement to reform present system.

## From the United States News.

INTO the mails from 48 state capitols last week went 48 registered letters addressed to Vice-President Garner at Washington.

These letters will be opened in the presence of Congress on Jan. 6. The announcement of what they contain will formally consummate the election of 1936. Congress and the people will then have officially confirmed for them what has meanwhile grown to be more than a mere suspicion—the reported fact that the Roosevelt-Garner ticket has been re-elected for another four years.

The persons who sent the 48 official letters to Mr. Garner—and incidentally, duplicate letters to the Secretary of State—were the 531 duly chosen electors of the several states, meeting according to law on the "first Monday after the second Wednesday in December" (Dec. 14) to cast their 531 electoral votes for Messrs. Roosevelt and Garner and eight votes for Messrs. Landon and Knox.

In nine of the last 21 elections—mainly due to size of minor-party votes—Presidents have been chosen by a minority of the total voters casting ballots. It was the fate of Buchanan, Lincoln, Hayes, Garfield, Cleveland, Harrison and Wilson to be "minority Presidents" in at least one of the terms for which each was elected.

Yet, in every instance but one, they received substantial majorities in the electoral college. The exception was in the case of Buchanan. Lincoln, in 1860, squeezed through with an electoral majority of only one vote, when his Democratic opponent, Samuel J. Tilden, on face of the returns, had a quarter-million more popular votes than Hayes. It was an exciting battle, in which contesting sets of returns from four states led to final decision of the election by a specially created agency, unknown to the Constitution—the Electoral Commission.

Almost equally striking was the election result in 1888, when, although Grover Cleveland (Dem.) had some 95,000 more popular votes than Benjamin Harrison (Rep.), the latter's popular votes were so advantageously distributed among the states that he became President with 233 electoral votes to Cleveland's 168.

Somewhat similarly, in 1890, James A. Garfield had a national total of only about 7000 more popular votes than his Democratic opponent, Gen. Winfield S. Hancock, but he got 214 votes in the electoral college while Hancock had only 155.

No President in the last 80 years has received more than 61 per cent of the popular vote—yet six times the winner's standing in the electoral college has risen above 80 per cent. Some Presidents have received nearly twice as big a proportion of the electoral vote as of the popular vote. Thus with Wilson's 51.9 per cent of the electoral vote when he had only 41.8 per cent of the popular in 1912. President Hoover's proportion of the 1928 electoral vote was two-fifths bigger than his proportion of the popular vote. This year, President Roosevelt's proportion of the electoral vote is nearly two-thirds bigger than his proportion of the popular vote.

In 1928, every Hoover electoral vote represented proportionally only 48,180 popular votes, while each electoral vote scored by Alfred E. Smith represented proportionally

172,602 popular votes. This year, the disparity is even more impressive. Every Roosevelt electoral vote represents proportionally 53,679 popular votes, while every Landon electoral vote represents proportionally 2,085,289 popular votes.

Striking disparities in the 1936 results have given new impetus to movements for abolition of the electoral college or reform of the system. Senator George W. Norris, who sponsored the "lame-duck" amendment, is among leading proponents of electoral reform by means of another constitutional amendment. Representative Clarence F. Lea of California is also proposing a change by which state electoral votes would be divided among presidential candidates on the basis of their respective popular vote strength in each state.

If the 1936 electoral vote accurately reflected the national popular vote on an exact proportional basis, without regard to state

The following table gives the percentages of popular and electoral votes received by winners in the last 21 presidential elections since 1856, in which the Democratic and Republican parties have been the major contesting groups:

	Electoral	Popular
	Vote Pct.	Vote Pct.
1856 Buchanan (D)	58.7	45.3
1860 Lincoln (R)	59.4	52.7
1864 Lincoln (R)	90.8	55.0
1868 Grant (R)	72.8	52.6
1872 Grant (R)	81.9	55.6
1876 Hayes (R)	50.1	47.9
1880 Garfield (D)	57.9	48.3
1884 Cleveland (D)	54.6	48.8
1888 Harrison (R)	58.1	47.8
1892 Cleveland (D)	62.4	50.8
1896 McKinley (R)	80.6	50.6
1900 McKinley (R)	65.3	51.6
1904 Roosevelt (R)	71.2	56.4
1908 Taft (R)	66.5	51.5
1912 Wilson (D)	81.9	41.8
1916 Wilson (D)	82.1	49.2
1920 Harding (R)	76.0	61.0
1924 Coolidge (R)	71.9	54.2
1928 Hoover (R)	83.6	58.9
1932 Roosevelt (D)	88.4	57.3
1936 Roosevelt (D)	98.4	60.7

lines, Mr. Roosevelt, who received 77,732,309 popular votes, would have got 323 electoral votes; Gov. Landon, with 16,632,524 popular votes, would have had 194 electoral votes; Congressman Lemke, who polled 892,793 popular votes as the Union party candidate, would have secured 10 electoral votes; Norman Thomas, Socialist, with 157,842 popular votes, would have had two electoral votes; Earl Browder, the Communist nominee, who polled 80,096 popular votes, would have been entitled to one electoral vote; and less than an electoral vote apiece would have gone to Messrs. Colvin and Aiken, who polled 37,609 and 12,793 popular votes as candidates of the Prohibition and Socialist-Labor parties, respectively.

Official returns from 47 states and unofficial returns from Rhode Island, where legislation has delayed a final count, show a grand total of 45,814,377 votes cast in this election, as compared with 39,816,822 in 1932.

## The Americas and the World

## From the Christian Science Monitor.

FOR a decade and a half, the nations have tried to operate the peace machinery at Geneva on a universal rather than a regional basis. There have been disappointments. Various reasons may be ascribed, but neither the United States nor any of the Latin American republics can throw stones, for their own records of peace collaboration have notable gaps.

Now comes the United States at Buenos Aires with a concrete, carefully worked-out plan for skeletonized peace machinery on a regional basis. Several efforts have been made in advance to prevent this new peace machinery from conflicting with the broader program at Geneva. The Argentine Government, anxious to maintain its old ties with Great Britain and its new ties with the League, may insist upon still further adjustment of the American program to Geneva's objectives.

The one basic difference between the American and the Geneva programs is one neutrality. The League Covenant binds its members to take collective action against an aggressor. They have not yet successfully done so in a major crisis.

The great difficulty of determining an aggressor remains. The American plan, after re-emphasizing the many devices of conciliation and arbitration embodied in inter-American treaties, provides for boycotts of munitions and money against both belligerents.

But in the proposed draft convention, it is stipulated that the new proposals for boycotts shall not conflict with provisions in existing treaties—such as the League Covenant. Thus an American member of the League could hold itself in readiness, in case Geneva decided on sanctions, to take such action against an aggressor. But it would be bound from the outset of a conflict, as soon as a state of war was visible, to shut off all exports of munitions or money to both belligerents. Presumably, after the League decision was taken, the American member could lift its embargo against the aggressor nation.

The new American machinery's greatest merit—potentially an enormous step forward—is provision for permanent, quasi-automatic consultation among all the republics of the American continent. A consultative committee of Secretaries of State or Foreign Ministers is set up, to operate the peace machinery and watch over the peace. This, like the embargo proposals, now applies only to trouble in the Western Hemisphere. Later it might be extended to foreign wars.

So far, the American plan is simply for resuscitation of the five existing peace machinery treaties adopted by these republics for the extension in the form of boycott provisions, and their application through a permanent consultative committee. Safeguarded from conflict with the universal scheme at Geneva, unpretentious and in appearance practical, the new peace program of the United States marks an enormous advance not only in American foreign policy but for inter-American peace.

## THIS EVENTFUL EPOCH.

THE Edward-Simpson romance is another reason why this period may go down in history as one of the world's greatest. The World War, the Russian revolution, the overthrow of the Chinese monarchy, the rise of Fascism, the abdication of a monarch ruling over the world's greatest Empire and all the changes which may lie close ahead—all make this half-century profoundly significant.

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## TODAY and TOMORROW

By WALTER LIPPMANN

## Dr. Schacht and President Wilson

MUCH the most carefully considered statement of Germany's colonial demands that has yet appeared in this country is to be found in an article by Dr. Schacht published in the current number of Foreign Affairs. It is worthy of very close study by all who refuse to give up hope of a peaceable solution of the world crisis.

Dr. Schacht makes a special plea to Americans, and the best way to approach his general argument for colonies is to examine that special plea. He says that Germany's colonial demands are justified because of the moral obligation incurred by President Wilson when he assured Germany that the 14 points would constitute the basis of peace. The argument turns on Point 5, which promised "an impartial adjustment of all colonial claims," based on the principle that "the interests of the populations concerned must have equal weight with the equitable claims of the government whose title is to be determined."

Dr. Schacht makes the interesting plea that when Germany accepted the armistice terms she had in mind not only the 14 points which had been published to all the world but also a secret memorandum interpreting them. This secret memorandum was prepared by Col. House, who was negotiating the armistice, in order to interpret the 14 points to the Allied leaders—Lloyd George, Clemenceau and Orlando. How the German Government got hold of this confidential memorandum in October, 1918, is a mystery. For it never formed any part of the official communications with the German Government.

However, that mystery is interesting rather than important. For the memorandum was intended faithfully and sincerely to interpret President Wilson's meaning, and it was in fact approved by President Wilson. The important question is whether Dr. Schacht has correctly understood President Wilson's meaning.

I am inclined to think that Dr. Schacht's quotation from the memorandum does not do justice to its real meaning. For the memorandum states first the argument of Britain and Japan against giving back the German colonies, namely, that they would be used for military purposes. Dr. Schacht omits that.

He then quotes a passage stating the German argument for the return of the colonies in which it is said, "What are the 'equitable claims' put forth by Germany? That she needs access to tropical raw materials, that she needs a field for the expansion of her population, that under the principles of peace proposed, conquest gives her enemies no title to her colonies." Dr. Schacht treats this report of the German case as an endorsement of the German colonial claims today.

This is a misunderstanding. The memorandum stated both sides of the argument, that is, the British and Japanese on the one hand, the German on the other, only in order to reject both claims and to propose the American view, that is to say, Dr. Schacht's own view. This is to be found in the conclusion of the memorandum, and it was that "a colonial power acts not as owner of its colonies but as trustee for the natives and for the interests of the society of nations . . . that they should not be militarized . . . that exploitation should be confined to the principle of the open door . . . that the terms on which the colonial administration is conducted are a matter of international concern."

It is quite certain that what President Wilson had in mind was not the return of the colonies to Germany nor their seizure by the conquering Powers, but the institution of the mandate system and the guaranteeing in the League of Nations of the mandate system.

There is no warrant in the text for the idea that President Wilson promised Germany, or had any idea of promising her, the recovery of her colonial empire. He had a wholly different intention. It was to use the territory taken from Germany and Turkey as an experiment designed to put an end to all colonial imperialism. What he really wanted was to terminate gradually the whole colonial business, to treat backward countries as trusts administered by Powers accountable to the society of nations, and he meant that these trusts should be administered on the principle of the open door to all nations and in order to prepare the natives for self-government.

So, if Dr. Schacht is to appeal to the Wilson principles, the proper place to make that plea is at Geneva. Let him go there and ask Britain and Japan for an accounting on their mandates. Let him raise the question there whether the Powers are administering their mandates on the principles of the open door.

From Wilson's point of view, he will find plenty to complain about in certain of the mandated territories. But, with Germany outside the League, Dr. Schacht can hardly say that the United States, which is also outside the League, has a moral obligation to carry out the Wilson principles which depend absolutely upon the League.

This is not said contentiously. For there are certain implications in Dr. Schacht's article which suggest that he, at least, would be willing to adjust Germany's colonial demands within the framework of the Wilson principles. It is noteworthy that he does not ask for "sovereignty, army, police, law," that he asks only for economic management and inclusion in the German monetary system; in short, for something akin to a mandate. But that, of course, would mean that Germany returned to the League, and accepted once again all that membership in the League implies.

Whether Dr. Schacht is prepared to go that far, or could be expected to carry with him the Nazi regime if he wanted to, is a crucial matter on which he throws no light. Obviously, he cannot speak with perfect freedom. But when he says, "Believe me, my American friends, when I say that this German people is still the same people that gave the world Luther and Goethe," it is not difficult to read between the lines.

Goethe is of all Germans the one whose spirit is most unlike the spirit of National Socialism, and no one knows it better than the Nazis. The appeal to Goethe is about as strong a hint as any man in the world can give. It is not difficult to read between the lines.

## BERNSTORFF WRITES HIS WAR MEMOIRS

Former German Ambassador Says Arms Races Always Lead to Fighting.

By the Associated Press.

GENEVA, Dec. 21.—Count Bernstorff, Germany's wartime Ambassador to Washington who now lives in retirement in Geneva, in his memoirs recently published, declares "competition in armaments in course of history has always led to war."

He says that "enemies of Briand and Stresemann, who subsequently triumphed, seem to me to have little cause to be proud of what they have accomplished. While the two big statesmen were in power there were indications that world reconciliation was on the way, while now the sole talk is of security—that is, armaments competition which history shows always leads to war."

Bernstorff calls this book his "confession" and says he has been able to write it despite "his age, his ill health, and disgust with politics."

Speaking of his wartime ambassadorship in Washington, Bernstorff writes that he was at home in society there but these social relations proved worthless during war, because "the so-called four hundred departed in a body into the enemy camp."

He says it was Germany's political inadequacy which led her into the abyss of a political inadequacy that flung us helpless at the mercy of an incompetent military dictatorship.

He adds: "We can only be saved by political training that will enable the whole German people to see the world as it really is and not as we should like to represent it." Commenting on Germany's attitude during the great war, Bernstorff says: "Germany's military position would have been deteriorated had U-boat submarine warfare never been undertaken." Bernstorff considers submarine warfare the "main cause of Germany's collapse."

The choice of the German Government lay between peace of understanding through American mediation and the U-boat warfare, involving war with the United States, which must inevitably bring us defeat."

He ascribes President Wilson's hostility to Germany during the latter part of the war to Germany's refusal to entertain his peace proposals.

## RICHARD M. WRAY FUNERAL

Service Held for Former Democratic Party Worker.

The funeral of Richard M. Wray, formerly an active Democratic party worker here, who died Saturday in Houston, Tex., of infirmities of age, was held today at the Wagner mortuary, 3621 Olive street.

Mr. Wray was 80 years old, and had lived in Texas in recent years. He was sergeant-at-arms of the City Council under Mayor Wells' administration. He was an early member of Cabanne Methodist Church, South. A bachelor, he is survived by a niece and three cousins, one of the latter being John E. Wray, sports editor of the Post-Dispatch.

## WALTER K. MARTIN FUNERAL

Manager of Branches of Powder Firm Died at Phoenix, Ariz.

PHOENIX, Ariz., Dec. 21.—Funeral services for Walter Kennon Martin, general manager of the St. Louis and Joplin branches of the Atlas Powder Co., who died in a hospital Saturday night, were held here today. Mr. Martin, who was 77 years old, came to Phoenix last March because of ill health. Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Hattie Martin, and a sister, Miss Helen Martin, of Virginia.

Since 1931 Mr. Martin had made his home at Joplin, where the Atlas Powder Co. has its principal office in this district. Before then he resided in St. Louis.

## ARTHUR J. RUPP FUNERAL

Building Contractor, 46, Succumbs at His Home.

The funeral of Arthur J. Rupp, building contractor, who died Friday of a stomach ailment at his home, 1901 East Warner avenue, will be held tomorrow at 8:30 a. m. from the Stock mortuary, 2117 East Grand avenue, to Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church. Burial will be in Calvary cemetery.

He was 46 years old. Surviving are his wife, a son, Arthur J. Rupp Jr., and a daughter, Miss Ruth Rupp.

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## Arriving Home From School



MISS SARA JANE AVANT, a student at the Finch School in New York, arriving at Union Station Saturday to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest L. Avant, 6255 Pershing avenue.

## INCREASE IN COLLEGE ENROLLMENT REPORTED

6.5 Pct. in Full Time Students, 7.3 Pct. in Grand Total, in Last Year.

By the Associated Press.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 21.—President Raymond Walters of the University of Cincinnati, reports a continued increase in enrollment in 593 approved universities and colleges in the United States, in his annual survey for School and Society, educational journal.

"The attendance increases may be explained as due partly to improved business conditions and partly to the persistent faith of America that higher education yields economic and cultural returns for youth and for the country as a whole," Dr. Walters said in discussing a 6.5 per cent increase in full time students and a 7.3 per cent increase in grand total enrollment.

"The number of full-time students receiving aid by part-time jobs provided through the National Youth Administration is 12 per cent or approximately \$5,000. The increase in full-time enrollments in these institutions for the past two years is also approximately 85,000," he said.

The 593 schools reported 746,224 full-time students and a grand total, including part-time and summer school registration of 1,140,786 resident students. The University of California continued to lead in number of full-time students with 22,222 while New York University again reported the largest grand total, 33,678. Columbia University, as last year, held second place in both divisions.

"Current enrollments show a continued trend toward engineering and commerce and also a return to popularity of courses in agriculture, which a few years ago had dropped off markedly," Dr. Walters said.

"Though liberal arts numbers are maintained, their proportion is declining. In 1935, 75 per cent of freshmen in the institutions in this list chose some curriculum in liberal arts; this autumn the percentage was 69.2."

J. S. Happer, Art Authority, Dies. By the Associated Press.

TOKIO, Dec. 21.—John Stewart Happer, an American authority on Japanese art, died here today. He was born in Canton, China, where his father, Dr. Andrew Happer, was one of the founders of Lingnan College.

## WE APOLOGIZE

Our Curtain Department is working night and day. We feel that it would not be fair to accept further business for delivery by Christmas. Rather than send out inferior, rushed work we have stopped taking orders. We apologize to you who have been unable to place your order and assure you that after Christmas we will have ample facilities to give your fine curtains the expert, un rushed attention they deserve.

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## SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

MISS VIRGINIA BROWN, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Steigler Brown, 7360 Westmoreland drive, will make her debut to society today at the St. Louis Woman's Club. From 3 to 5 o'clock she will meet family friends at a reception, and from 5 to 7 o'clock she will join her contemporaries at a tea dance.

The entire club will be lighted with candles. Tapers will burn from tables and mantels in the living room, and from the supporting pillars and buffets in the dining room.

Holiday colors have been combined in the decorations with bronze chrysanthemums to harmonize with the gown of the guest of honor, who will receive with her mother and her aunt, Mrs. Forrest Brewington, before a background of green trees flanked by two tall brass urns filled with long stemmed bronze blossoms. A brown jar of cat tails fills the fireplace of the mantel opposite.

Miss Brown will wear the white and silver lame gown in which she appeared as a maid of honor at the Velled Prophet ball in October—a drop-shoulder frock with short puffed sleeves, and a band of mink edging the skirt and train. She is to have brown slipper orchids across the front of her bodice.

Mrs. Brown will be gowned in black velvet, with drapery to the waist replacing sleeves, and white violets clustered in a corsage at her shoulder.

Mrs. Brewington's gown is black crepe embroidered in bands of brilliant, with which she will wear white orchids.

Tall white Canadian spruce trees stand in the reception hall, in which the stairway is garlanded with smilax. During the afternoon an orchestra will play near by for the reception guests, and later will be moved to the Colonial dining room to be screened by trees and tall standards of red candles at the far end. The center of the room will be canopied with smilax, and near the lounge door, guarded by tall Christmas trees and baskets of greenery, stands the tea table. A mirror reflector surrounded by English holly holds a holly tree as the centerpiece and more holly, heavy with red berries, will be frozen in the ice block containing the frozen dessert. Bonbons and glazed nuts are in red and green.

Two groups of Mrs. Brown's friends will assist, leaving the debutante free for dancing. Mrs. Brown has invited the following for the receiving hours: Mrs. Eugene Ross McCarthy, Mrs. W. E. Shahan, Miss Linnie Allison, Mrs. Thomas L. Gallaway, Mrs. Edwin Donk, Mrs. Arthur Wright Jr., Mrs. Joseph S. Calfee, Mrs. Victor Cullen and Mrs. E. E. Christopher.

During the tea dance hours, Mrs. Marshall Cochran, Mrs. Henry S. Butler, Mr. Edwin T. Stanard, Mrs. A. W. Morris Jr., Mrs. Arden J. Mummet, Mrs. B. E. Culver Jr., Mrs. Julius W. Reinhold Jr., Mrs. Spencer A. Merrill, Mrs. Helger Stockholm and Mrs. E. H. B. Thompson will serve at the tea table.

Miss Elizabeth Troene of Paris, France, arrived yesterday afternoon for the party. She chaperoned Miss Brown and her sister, Miss Clotilde, through Europe last summer, traveling with them through Switzerland, Italy and Spain. Later they visited her at her home in Vernet, France.

Miss Brown is a graduate of Mary Institute and for a year studied at Mount Vernon Seminary in Washington and for another year at the New York School of Fine and Applied Arts.

Invitations were received Saturday from Mr. and Mrs. C. Drummond Jones for the wedding of their daughter, Miss Jacqueline Busch Jones, and Willis Dean Hadley, to take place Saturday, Jan. 9, at 5 o'clock in the afternoon at Grant's Farm, Arton. Mr. Hadley is the son of Leo G. Hadley, 3247 Longfellow boulevard.

Miss Muriel Gross of Elizabeth, N. J., will be a Christmas week visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ross McCarthy, 6481 Ellendwood avenue, and their daughter, Miss Marjorie. Miss Gross arrived early this morning and will be entertained at several parties.

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Miss Gross and Miss McCarthy were roommates at Vassar College, from which Miss McCarthy was graduated in June.

Mr. and Mrs. William Thompson Nardin and their son, Robert, will entertain 200 members of the debutantes and college crowds at a dance at Bellevue Country Club tonight.

The following debutantes will receive with them: Miss Ruth Donnell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest C. Donnell; Miss Susan Elizabeth Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Atwood Thompson, and Miss Ahden Knight, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Knight. At 11 o'clock a supper will be served.

Preceding the dance two dinners will be given. Mr. and Mrs. Felix E. Gunter, 4931 Lindell boulevard, are honoring Miss Josephine Lamy, debutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lamy, 1 Forest Ridge, and Mrs. A. Hermann, 99 Arundel place, is honoring the debutantes, Miss Marjorie McCarthy and Miss Adele Matilda Baur.

Mrs. Paul C. Simmons, 326 Helfenstein road, entertained two debutantes at luncheon today. Honor guests were Miss Marjorie McCarthy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ross McCarthy, 6481 Ellendwood avenue, and Miss Betty Lewis Frazier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adrian W. Frazier, 6601 Waterman avenue.

Mrs. John Burton Kennard Jr., 4660 Pershing avenue, returned recently from a visit in Hot Springs, Ark.

Charles Nagel Jr., who has been assistant professor of Fine Art at Yale University, will arrive here next week, returned to St. Louis to live. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nagel, 19 Lenox place.

Miss Barbara Menzenwerth, daughter of Mrs. Gladys Menzenwerth, 5 Fair Oaks, will entertain a group of friends at a dancing party at the Chase Hotel, Wednesday, Dec. 30.

Mrs. Albert E. Seep of Denver, Colo., and her two daughters, Mary Ellen and Joan, are here visiting Mrs. Seep's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin H. Wagner, 3 Hillvale drive. Mr. Seep will join them here for Christmas, and after the holidays he and Mrs. Seep will leave for California. Mary Ellen and Joan Seep will remain here with their grandparents while their parents are in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Jules F. Valle of St. Genevieve, Mo., formerly of St. Louis, sailed from New York Thursday for a cruise of the Caribbean and South American ports. They will return the latter part of February.

Mrs. Valle is the former Miss Ann Marie Kirsch.

Mrs. Herbert Jarvis Elkins of New York, will arrive here this week to spend the Christmas season with her mother, Mrs. William Fiewelly Saunders of the Georgian Court apartments.

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THREE sets of invitations, totaling 600, are in the mail today, from Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Knight for the debut of their daughter, Miss Ahden, to be given Wednesday, Dec. 30, at their home, 6375 Pershing avenue.

Beginning at 3 o'clock, three groups have been invited at various hours to meet Miss Knight at as many functions, and the debutantes of the season have been divided into three sections to assist at each.

From 3 to 5 o'clock there will be a reception. Cards enclosed in this invitation announce an informal program of songs by talented debutantes—Miss Claire Angert, Miss Betty Seward Hulburd, Miss Carroll Wright Tausig, and Miss Adele Baur, and by Miss Harriet Hulburd of last season, at 3:30 o'clock.

Another group has been asked for cocktails between 5 and 7 o'clock, and friends of the host and hostess in the third group have been invited for a buffet supper at 7 o'clock.

The unusual invitations, on gray and white paper, are folded so that the cover reads "to meet Miss Ahden Brantley Knight" with the capital letters illuminated in red on green squares. Unfolded, the paper becomes long, and the wording in the conventional "requests the pleasure of your company."

The wedding of Miss Mary Emily Riskey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Branch Riskey of Country Life Acres, and John Eckler of Elvira, O., will take place tonight at 8 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Riskey. A reception will follow the ceremony. Mr. Eckler is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eckler of Elvira, O.

Miss Ethel Flanagan of the Park plaza entertained 16 friends of Miss Betty and Miss Frances O'Reilly, her nieces and daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. O'Reilly, 4549 Pershing avenue, at a luncheon today at the Warfield tea rooms. The guests, members of the college crowd, were invited for 1 o'clock.

The table was decorated with poinsettias, and place cards were suggestive of the holiday season. Miss Flanagan entertained Miss Virginia Kelley at a separate table.

Mrs. Thomas A. O'Reilly, 7427 Stratford avenue, entertained for her daughters, Miss Peggy and Miss Mary Elizabeth, yesterday afternoon at a tea from 4 to 6 o'clock at her home.

Serving at the tea were the following girls: Miss Ann Allen, Miss Mary Louise Bryan, Miss Nancy Carter, Miss Betty Lee Leggett, Miss Lucy Lonsware, Miss Peggy McMahon, Miss Catherine McMahon, Miss Alicia Polk, Miss Eleanor Schaffly, Miss Roberta Stanley, Miss Polly Walsh, Miss Betty Deagle, Miss Frances Gross, Miss Lilla Jones and Miss Madeline Sheehan.

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# RADIO PROGRAMS SCHEDULED FOR TODAY

## KSD Programs For Tonight.

KSD's program schedule for this evening follows:

At 5:10, Green Brothers' Orchestra.

At 5:15, Tom Mix Straight Shooters.

At 5:30, "Terry and Ted."

At 5:45, Little Orphan Annie.

At 6, Amos and Andy.

At 6:15, Rubenoff and Soloist.

At 6:30, Diamond City News.

At 6:45, Old St. Louis "Romance of the Old Eugene Field Home," sketch.

At 7, Fibber McGee and Molly.

At 7:30, Grand Melodies; soloist, Margaret Spears, soprano; Richard Crooks, tenor; mixed chorus and Rosario Bowdon's orchestra.

At 8, "Wardens Lewis E. Lawes in Sing Sing."

At 8:30, Richard Himber's Orchestra; Ruth Etling and Stuart Allen, tenor.

At 9, Morgan L. Eastman's Orchestra and soloists; Children's Christmas Party.

At 9:30, "Night Editor," Hal Burdick.

At 9:45, Modern Musical.

At 9:59, Weather Report.

At 10 and 11 p. m., sign off for KFUO.

At 11, "Magnolia Blossoms," Fluke Jubilee Choir.

At 11:30, Francis Craig's Orchestra.

St. Louis stations broadcast on the following channels: KSD, 1550 kc.; KMOX, 1550 kc.; WIL, 1200 kc.; KWK, 760 kc.; KFUO, 550 kc.

12 Noon KSD—PRESS NEWS; MARKET REPORT, George Hart's orchestra. KMOX—Five Star Revue. KWK—Farm and Home program. WIL—Luncheon Party. WEW—Livestock report.

12:15 KFUO—Noonday Devotion, Rev. H. H. Wilhelm. KMOX—Magic Kitchen.

12:30 WEW—Editorial Page of the Air. 12:35 WIL—Soloist. KWK—Vaughn de Leith, soprano.

12:45 KSD—MITCHELL SCHUSTER'S ORCHESTRA. KMOX—Inquiring Reporter. WIL—Views of the News. KWK—Around the Corner Club.

1:00 KSD—NORMAN FAIRLIE, baritone. KWK—Words and Music. WIL—Soloist. KMOX—News of the Week. WIZ—Noble Cain's A Capella Choir. Hand-drawn "The Mosaic" will be broadcast from around London at night.

1:15 KSD—NATHAN COGAT'S ORCHESTRA. WIL—Hiltop Singers. KMOX—Romany Trail. Emory Deutsch's orchestra. WEW—American School of the Air. WIZ—Light concert.

1:30 KSD—PRESS NEWS. KWK—Press News. WIL—Opportunity program. WEW—Merchants' Exchange; closing markets.

1:45 KSD—DICK LEEBET, organist. 1:50 KSD—"MOVING STORIES OF LIFE."

2:00 KSD—PEPPER YOUNG'S FAMILY. WIL—Band concert. WIZ—Police release; Salvation Army program. KMOX—Barrymore Folies. KWK—Molly of the Movies. WIZ—Chain of the Movies. WIZ—Chain of the Movies. WIZ—Chain of the Movies.

2:15 KSD—"MA PERKINS," sketch. WIL—Down East. WIL—Neighborhood program.

2:30 KSD—VIO AND SAGE, sketch. WIL—Wall Dossbach. WIL—College Hour. KWK—Soloist. WIL—Chain—Modern Master; Alexander Tansman, pianist.

2:45 KSD—"THE O'NEILL," sketch. WIL—Travel Talk. KWK—Roche-ster Civic Orchestra.

3:00 KWK—Around the Corner Club. WIL—Women's Afternoon Chat. WEW—Tango Tunes. KFUO—Friendly Adviser; Radio Calendar; music. KMOX—Ma Perkins. WEA—Chain—Hour of Charm. Leo Sol-tini's orchestra.

3:15 WEW—Moments with the Masters. KMOX—Kitty Keene. WIL—Head-lines of the Air. KWK—Soloist.

3:30 KMOX—Household Hannah. WIL—Today's Winners. KWK—Piano duo. WEA—Chain—International Children's Christmas program.

3:45 KSD—MELODIES. KMOX—Personal Column. WEW—Western Column. KWK—Young Hickory, sketch.

4:00 KSD—TOM THOMAS, baritone. WIL—Let's Dance. WEW—Uni-versity of the Air. KMOX—Josephine Halpin, commentator. KWK—Let's Talk It Over.

4:15 KSD—EMMA REICHER, soprano. WEW—Tea Time Dance. KMOX—Star Dust. WXPFD (31.6 meg.)—Helen Jane Whelan.

4:30 KSD—IRMA GLENN, organist. KMOX—Let's Compare Notes. KWK—Marion Frenzel and Al Saril. WIL—Smooth Rhythm.

4:45 KSD—TOWN TATTLERS. KMOX—Santa Claus Workshop. KWK—Around the Corner Club. WIL—Santa Claus.

## ON SHORT WAVES

PROGRAMS listed for today on short wave stations include:

7:00 a. m., Programs in English, PCJ, Holland, 9.59 meg.

7:00 a. m., Music, DJL, Berlin, 15.11 meg.

7:00 a. m., NBS program for South America, WEXAL, Boundbrook, New Jersey, 6.10 meg.

8:00 a. m., Orchestra and Soloists, TPA2, France, 15.24 meg.

2:30 p. m., Concert, Dorival Quintet, TPA2, Paris, 11.88 meg.

5:00 p. m., News in English, Operatic Music. Music. 2RO, Rome, 9.68 meg.

6:00 p. m., Christmas Poems and Legends from Ireland, GSB, 9.51 meg. London, 15.31 meg.; GSD, 11.75 meg.; GSC, 9.58 meg.

8:00 p. m., Review of the Week and Russian lesson, RAN, Moscow, 9.8 meg.

8:30 p. m., "The Twilight Hour," DJL, Berlin, 11.77 meg.

7:00 p. m., Spanish program, WZKAF, Schenectady, 9.53 meg.

8:15 p. m., Light Music, DJL, Berlin, 11.77 meg.

9:00 p. m., "Strike Up the Band," orchestra and soloists. CRCK, Toronto, 6.09 meg.

CJRO, 6.15 meg.

9:00 p. m., Talk, "The Police-man's Lot," GSD, London, 11.75 meg.; GSC, 9.58 meg.

## ON KSD

News Broadcasts—8:00, 8:55, 11:00 a. m. and 12:00 noon, 1:30 and 5:00 p. m.

Market Reports—12:05 p. m.

Weather Report—11 a. m. and 12:10 and 9:59 p. m.

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## PAROLE FOR CONSPIRATOR IN STATION KILLING SOUGHT

U. S. Judge Makes Recommendation for Frank Mulloy to Whose Home Phone Calls Were Traced.

By the Associated Press.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 21.—Federal Judge Merrill E. Otis said last night that he had recommended a parole for Frank B. Mulloy, convicted conspirator in the Kansas City Union Station killing June 17, 1933. Four officers and their prisoner were killed in the shooting. Judge Otis, who sentenced Mulloy to two years, said he had forwarded the recommendation to the United States Board of Pardons and Paroles.

Mulloy has served eight months of the sentence. Since August he has been in Alcatraz prison in San Francisco Bay. At his trial the Government presented evidence linking Mulloy's home with a chain of telephone calls which led to the Union Station shootings.

After giving up hope of winning a reversal of the case by higher courts, Mulloy appealed to Judge Otis for probation. The judge refused, saying that in his opinion the evidence in the trial was sufficient to link Mulloy with the plot to liberate Frank Nash, a Federal prisoner. The plot resulted in Nash's death and the killings.

Train Strikes Auto; Three Killed. DANVILLE, Ky., Dec. 21.—Two men and a woman were killed last night when an automobile in which they were riding was struck by a Southern Railway train near here. The dead were identified as Miss Marie Turner of Somerset; Robert Shuttles and Richard Toadvine, both of Danville.

## FRENCH FASCIST LEADER

Col. de la Roque Proposes Substituting Italian and German Friendship for Russian.

By the Associated Press.

PARIS, Dec. 21.—Francis de la Roque outlined yesterday a middle of the road program based "on Republican liberties" at the close of the National Congress of his French Social party, charged with Fascist leanings. Reporting two million adherents, he predicted it would be the nation's most powerful force against the dangers of "bloody revolution and Asiatic barbarity."

He said that any party seeking to establish a dictatorship of France will find him a resolute opponent, who, while disapproving of violence, has no fear of it. De la Roque said his party would seek to achieve among other things:

—establishment of presidential authority conferring on the chief executive the "real" right to choose his ministers and to dissolve parliament; woman suffrage; breaking of all ties with Soviet Union and

the establishment of alliances with Great Britain, Italy, Poland and the Little Entente, and the rapprochement of Germany.

## BLACK LEGION SUSPECT DIES

Maryland Prisoner Succumbs Week After His Arrest.

CUMBERLAND, Md., Dec. 21.—Isaac (Peg Leg) White, one of the 23 men indicted in Michigan on charges of criminal syndicalism in connection with alleged activities of the Black Legion, died yesterday of pneumonia without disclosing his part in founding and fostering the terrorist gang.

Michigan and local authorities found White a week ago, hiding in Oldtown, a village 15 miles south of here.

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## Funds for South Illinois Libraries

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 21.—Additional purchases by libraries of books and periodicals from the \$600,000 library relief fund have

been authorized by Secretary of State E. J. Hughes. These include the Belleville Public Library, \$380.40; the Cairo Public Library, \$114.96; and the Carnegie Library at Marion, \$108.56.

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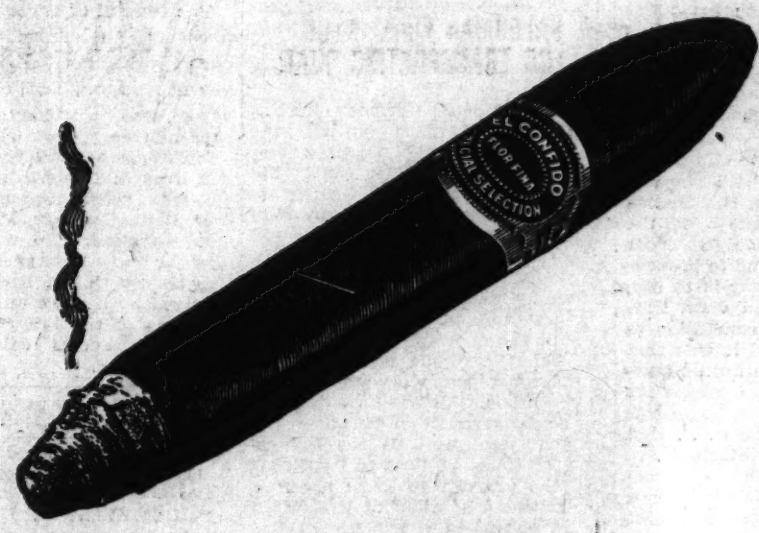
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Wage Above 1926

The Herman Body

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trailers at 4420 Ch

has increased wages

paid on an hourly or

piece basis from 5 1/2 to 12 1/2

cents on length of

other factors. Her

man said today.

The increases, he

said, are in line with

the basic wage rate to

be paid on an hourly

basis than the 1926-31

affected all but about

employees. The pay

was about \$150.00.

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## HERMAN BODY CO. PAYS BONUS

Truck Manufacturers Raise Basic Wage Above 1926-29 Average. The Herman Body Co., which manufactures truck bodies and trailers at 4220 Clayton avenue, has increased wages of employees, paid on an hourly or piece-work basis, from 5 1/4 to 12 1/2 per cent, depending on length of service and other factors, Herman E. Plew, president, said today.

The increases, he said, brought the basic wage rate to a higher level than the 1926-29 average and affected all but about 15 of the 125 employees. The payroll this year was about \$150,000.

**SPECIAL XMAS WEEK**  
Prices on high-grade lamp or egg size.  
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## Close-Up of Giant Panda Cub About to Get Dinner



RARE animal brought to the United States from the Orient by Mrs. William H. Harkness of New York, shown after its arrival at San Francisco. It is 2 months old and weighs 20 pounds.

## BONDHOLDERS PRESS P. S. CO. FOR REORGANIZATION PLAN

Ask Court to Dismiss Proceedings Unless Program Is Submitted for Refinancing.

A bondholders' committee today asked United States District Judge Charles B. Davis to require the St. Louis Public Service Co. to submit within a short time a plan of reorganization on the condition that failure to submit such plan would result in dismissal of the reorganization proceedings under Section 77B of the Bankruptcy Act. The company has been operating the street railway system under the jurisdiction of the court since April 15, 1933, when a receivership suit was filed. It was pointed out.

The request was made by a committee representing holders of City & Suburban First Mortgage Sinking Fund 5 per cent gold bonds, an obligation of the Public Service Co. Members of the committee are A. H. Keller, Craig McQuaid, Henry L. Cornet, William H. Nolker and John R. Longmire. Attorneys filing the application were Marion Early and the firm of Jeffries, Simpson & Plummer.

They asked that the Court set a time limit, reasonably short, within which the reorganization plan would have to be filed or the reorganization petition dismissed.

## BEER SALESMAN FINED \$100 FOR TRANSPORTING QUAIL

T. C. Shipley Says Birds Were Killed in Missouri Before He Went to Illinois.

T. G. Shipley, 4133 Magnolia avenue, a beer salesman, paid a \$100 fine for transporting quail from Illinois to Missouri yesterday when he was taken before Justice of the Peace Walter W. Hinderberger at East St. Louis after his arrest by game wardens on the Municipal Bridge.

Shipley said the 10 quail in his machine had been shot in Missouri and he had left them there while he drove to East St. Louis to get a bird dog.

Two other St. Louis hunters were fined \$25 yesterday for violation of the Illinois game laws after they had been arrested at the bridge. They were Joseph Fischer, 221A Salisbury street, and Robert Hercey, 2804A Madison street, who were unable to produce Illinois hunting licenses when 12 rabbits were found in their machine.

## YOUNG PEOPLE'S ANTI-SMOKE ORGANIZATION ESTABLISHED

Representatives of Various Societies Meet; Jerry Burch Temporary President.

The Young People's Smoke Elimination Organization was formed at a meeting of representatives of various young persons' societies at the Downtown Y. M. C. A. yesterday. Jerry Burch was made temporary president.

Among those addressing the gathering were Robert Tasker, representing the City Smoke Department; Harry F. Perkins, consulting engineer, and Dr. J. S. Young, chairman of a St. Louis Medical Society committee devoted to the smoke problem.

Tasker rated, in what he regarded as order of importance as producers of objectionable smoke, tenements, apartments, industries and railroads. Perkins urged thorough organization. Dr. Young discussed detrimental effects of smoke on health.

## APPEAL FOR GERMAN REFUGEES

Christian Committee Protests Against Nazi Practices.

By the Associated Press. NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—The American Christian Committee for German Refugees announces 130 religious leaders, college presidents and other prominent laymen have signed a Christmas appeal in behalf of Christians who have fled from Germany.

The appeal said there was "terrible discrimination against non-Aryan children, both Jewish and Christian, in the German schools. Many Christian families have fled from Germany because they fear the effect of Nazi teachings on their children. Relentlessly, National Socialism is driving its propaganda deep into the minds and heart of childhood—propaganda that places worship of state above worship of God."

## BURGLAR TAKES \$380 AS OGDEN L. MILLS SLEEPS

Cuts Out Screen of Bedroom in Long Island Home of Ex-Secretary of Treasury.

By the Associated Press.

WOODBURY, N. Y., Dec. 21.—A burglar entered the bedroom of Ogden L. Mills, former Secretary of the Treasury, at his home here yesterday and took \$380, a \$150 gold watch and chain and a \$175 gold cigarette case. The burglar left untouched jewelry in Mrs. Mills' adjoining bedroom. Mr. and Mrs. Mills and eight servants were asleep at the time.

A mile-long private driveway leads to the Mills home, in West Central Long Island. The burglar

climbed a tree, made his way along a limb to the house and then along a narrow ledge to gain entrance. He cut out a window screen at the end of this route to get inside.

## Liquor Imports Doubled.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—Reflecting an increased demand for foreign liquor, the Treasury report yesterday that these imports more than doubled during the first 10 months of this year. Distilled liquor imports were set at 10,152,790 gallons, compared with 5,065,511 gallons for the same period last year. Foreign liquor entering into consumption for the first 10 months of this year aggregated 10,874,807 gallons, an increase of around 5,000,000 gallons over the same period in 1935.

## PAGING THE MAN IN DOUBT ABOUT CHOOSING GIFTS

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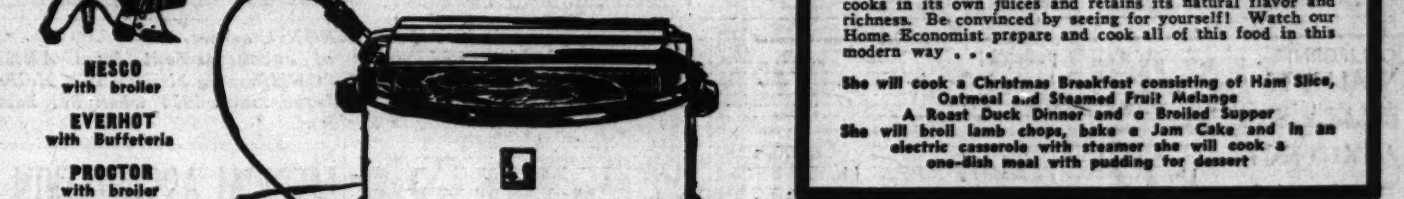
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# WATER AND ELECTRIC BILLS CUT AS CHRISTMAS PRESENT

By the Associated Press.  
**FAYETTE, Mo., Dec. 21.**—The city council played Santa Claus at its final meeting of the year.  
 The aldermen ordered a 10 per cent reduction to patrons of the municipal light and water plants for the fiscal month ending Jan. 31.

Employees, gave \$5 each to schools and church organizations toward defraying expenses of Christmas programs, and will give a turkey dinner to employees of the local telephone company Feb. 1. Last year the council ordered an allotment of free electric current to consumers during the holiday period.  
 The aldermen also appropriated cash Christmas gifts to all city employees and to the phone exchange in appreciation of their work during the year.

# Christmas Cheer for Invalid Actress



**MARY BLACKFORD**, center, receiving gifts and words of encouragement from **ANNE SHIRLEY**, left, and **PAULA STONE**, movie players, in a Hollywood hospital. She has been paralyzed since 1934 when her back was broken in an automobile accident.

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# MEDICAL ASSOCIATION ON HEALTH INSURANCE

Says Government Medical Care Has Failed in Other Countries.

By the Associated Press.  
**WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.**—The American Medical Association contends Government sickness insurance increases illness among the poor, fails to reduce the cost of treatment. Insurance, it says, is not the answer to the doctor bill problem which the profession is trying to solve in other ways.  
 "The increase in sickness among the insured (in nations that have an insurance system) is due to a deep inherent evil of insurance," the association says in a bulletin. "Prepayment for medical care, especially over a long period, creates a desire to 'get something back' in the form of such care. This desire to 'get something back' has a tendency to create the sickness that is the condition of obtaining the coveted service."  
 "Physicians practicing in the German system estimate that from 30 to 50 per cent of the cases treated are created or aggravated by this situation."

**No Cost Reduction.**  
 No figures are available, the association says, to show that insurance reduces the cost of medical care for the poor. All obtainable information, it adds, leads experts to believe the cost is as much or more with insurance systems.  
 "Neither the patients to be served nor the physicians who are to do the serving are calling for insurance," says the medical bulletin. The association attributes demands for insurance to "professional philanthropists, social workers, employers and politicians—not to either the working man or the physician."

Insurance, it argues, inevitably is followed by creation of a stifling, cumbersome bureaucracy that develops into a political machine.  
 Both diagnosis and treatment suffer, the association says, adding: "In every country having such a system, the administration of insurance has developed into a powerful political machine."

**Political Machine.**  
 "When benefits are distributed to individuals through an extensive administration machinery with many employees, the whole scheme tends to become a gigantic political machine. This always has evil effects on the quality of medical service."  
 "Insurance almost inevitably leads to overmedication (too much medicine). It has become well nigh proverbial that the diagnosis and treatment provided in insurance systems consist of 'a look and a bottle.'"

On the other hand, the association says, insurance systems usually place a limit on the cost of prescriptions, thus often interfering with proper treatment.  
 Physicians practicing under an insurance system, it continues, are so busy filling out Government reports that they find little time for much needed study.

Nearly every problem raised by advocates of insurance, the bulletin says, "can be attacked with promise of greater progress through other methods than insurance."

**Missouri 100 Years Old.**  
**ELIZABETH SPRINGS, Mo., Dec. 21.**—Nathaniel W. Lindsey, retired farmer and resident here nearly 40 years, celebrated his 100th birthday with a party of 40 friends and relatives Friday. Surrounded by the high school band and congratulated by a constant stream of visitors to his home during the day, the centenarian said the occasion was one of the most pleasant of his life. Lindsey was a private in the Union Army during the Civil War and was captured and held in a Southern military prison more than a year.

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WALNUTS Lb.	20c	Pineapple and Orange Slices Candy	9c
Soft shell, large size			
MIXED NUTS Lb.	22c		
Extra fancy '36 crop			
YELLOW Popping Corn Lb.	10c		
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Death of Presbyterian Minister.  
 By the Associated Press.  
**PITTSBURGH, Dec. 21.**—Funeral services will be held today in suburban Mount Lebanon for Dr. James Henry Snowden, 54 years old, widely known editor, author, theological teacher and Presbyterian clergyman. He became a pro-

Issue of theology at Western Theological Seminary in 1923, and was widely known for "Snowden's Sunday School Lesson," which appeared annually, beginning in 1921, and as editor-in-chief since 1928 of the Presbyterian Banner. Survivors include a son, Harold W. Snowden, of East Orange, N. J.

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Tom Boy Corn Flakes	13-Oz. Pkg. 10c
Tom Boy Wheat Puffs	2 5-Oz. Pkg. 15c

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<b>AMERICAN BEAUTY Spaghetti or Macaroni</b> 2 Pkg. 14c	<b>Fancy Catsup</b> Tom Boy 2 14-oz. Bottles 25c	<b>RINSO</b> 2 Small 15c
<b>Crisco</b> 1-Lb. Can 22c	<b>Chili Sauce</b> Tom Boy Fancy 12-oz. Bottle 17c	<b>WHITE KING GRANULATED SOAP</b> Medium Package 23c
<b>PILLSBURY'S FLOUR</b> 5-Lb. Bag 27c	<b>Maraschino Cherries</b> 5-oz. Bottle 9c	<b>SILVER DUST</b> Household Washing Compound Pkg. 14c
<b>Summit Seedless RAISINS</b> 15-Oz. Pkg. 9c	<b>Gelatin</b> Tom Boy 3 Pkg. 13c	<b>S. O. S. Cleaner</b> 4-Pad Pkg. 2 for 25c
<b>Summit Puffed RAISINS</b> 15-Oz. Pkg. 11c	<b>Dates</b> 1-Lb. Pkg. 13c	<b>8 Pad 22c</b>
<b>OVALTINE</b> 6-Oz. Can 32c	<b>Stuffed Dates</b> 5-oz. Pkg. 10c	<b>The Modern Toilet Bowl Cleanser</b>
<b>WHEATIES</b> 2 Pkg. 23c	<b>Diamond Walnuts</b> 2 Lb. 45c	<b>BOWLENE</b> Makes Your Hardest Cleaning Task Easy
<b>BISQUICK</b> 40-Oz. Pkg. 31c	<b>Applesauce</b> Tom Boy Fancy 2 No. 2 Cans 25c	<b>2 Cans 17c</b>
<b>OLD JUDGE COFFEE</b> 1-Lb. Jar 29c	<b>Fruit Cocktail</b> Tom Boy Fancy No. 2 1/2 Can 25c	
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<b>CHOCOLATE COVERED CHERRIES</b> 1-Lb. Jar 24c	<b>Bartlett Pears</b> Tom Boy Fancy No. 2 1/2 Can 25c	
<b>DURKEES FAMOUS Dressing &amp; Meat Sauce</b> 4-Oz. Bottle 13c	<b>Mince Meat</b> Tom Boy Fancy 24-Oz. Jar 21c	
	<b>Jumbo Olives</b> Tom Boy No. 2 1/2 Jar 27c	
	<b>Sweet Pickles</b> Tom Boy Fancy 32-Oz. Jar 25c	
	<b>Soup "Ready-to-Serve"</b> Tom Boy No. 300 Boy Cans 25c	
	<b>Asparagus Tips</b> Tom Boy Mananath No. 1 Square Can 27c	
	<b>Greenbeans</b> Tom Boy Fancy Whole No. 2 Can 18c	
	<b>Lima Beans</b> Tom Boy Fancy No. 2 Can 29c	
	<b>Beets</b> Tom Boy Whole No. 2 Can 23c	
	<b>Corn</b> Tom Boy Fancy Shoe Peg No. 2 Can 29c	
	<b>Peas</b> Tom Boy Jumbo No. 2 Can 17c	
	<b>Spinach</b> Tom Boy Fancy No. 2 1/2 Can 17c	
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WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—A policy of opening to public inspection all names and amounts under the Federal farm benefit payments was announced today by Agricultural

Adjustment Administration leaders. They said information was available in the offices of County AAA Associations on the first checks mailed out under this year's program. The information is posted 30 days after a farmer or land owner receives his check.

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## 3 PRISONERS BREAK JAIL

Escape From Old County Prison at Jefferson City.  
By the Associated Press.  
JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 21.—Three Federal prisoners, Russell Long, 21 years old, and Leroy Eckles, 17, both of Tulsa, Ok., and Melvin Edwards, 21, Joplin, Mo., escaped from the old county jail here last night, using a stove poker to smash a lock on a door leading upstairs, then poking a hole in the roof of the building. Long broke out of the same jail 10 days ago, but returned. The three were awaiting a Federal Court trial on charges of violating the Dyer Act.  
A new \$70,000 jail has been completed to replace the old building.

Ivan Lee Holt Jr. Gets Law Degree.  
Ivan Lee Holt Jr., son of the pastor of St. John's Methodist Church, has received a law degree from the University of Chicago, his parents announced today when he returned from school to spend the holidays with them at 5083 Washington boulevard. Two years ago Holt received an academic degree from the University of Chicago. Previously he studied at Princeton University.

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JOHN D. M. HAMILTON (left), GOV. ALF M. LANDON and COL. FRANK KNOX, WHO met in Chicago Saturday while Landon, defeated presidential nominee, was on his way to Washington to attend the Gridiron Club dinner. The Kansas Governor had luncheon with National Chairman Hamilton and the defeated vice-presidential nominee, Col. Knox.

## LANDON VISITS WHITE HOUSE, HAS CHAT WITH ROOSEVELT

"We Swapped Fishing Lies," Governor Says After His Call.

By the Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—President Roosevelt and his defeated Republican opponent for the presidency—Gov. Alf M. Landon of Kansas—chatted in the White House for nearly an hour today.

Telling reporters about his visit, Landon said "The President talked about his grandchildren and I talked about my children, but not my grandchildren."

Landon shook his head and said "no" when asked whether politics, the campaign, relief, the drought or other subjects had been discussed. "The President," the Governor said, "told me a good deal about his South American trip and I told him about my fishing trip to Florida."

"We swapped fishing lies," he added with a grin.

Landon was in a jovial mood as he entered and left the White House. Many stenographers and clerks strove to get a glimpse of him.

Roosevelt invited Landon to call shortly after the latter's arrival from Baltimore, where he was a guest last night at a dinner. Both winner and loser will make off-the-record speeches at tonight's dinner of the Gridiron Club.

## BOARD WANTS TO DESTROY RECORDS OF TWO ELECTIONS

Inquires of Prosecutors if 1932 and 1933 Ballots Are Needed; Shortage of Space.

Seeking to clear its vaults of old records, the Election Board has written the Circuit Clerk, Circuit Attorney and Prosecuting Attorney to determine whether there was any reason why remaining records of the primary of Aug. 2, 1932, and the Negro hospital bond election of Nov. 21, 1933, should not be destroyed. There was no reason for retaining them, as far as election officials knew.

Ballots and other records were on hand for the primary from the Second, Eighth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth and Twenty-third wards, where there had been contests of elections to party committees. Poll books and precinct statements of the vote were left from the bond election for all but the Seventh, Eighth, Twelfth, Thirteenth, Twentieth, Twenty-first, Twenty-fifth, Twenty-sixth, Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth wards.

The Election Board explained that all other records pertaining to these elections had been destroyed by previous boards, and that it needed vault space for future elections. The \$1,200,000 Negro hospital bond issue was carried, 102,208 to 9482, with 34 per cent of the registered voters voting. There were 201,474 votes cast in the 1932 primary, or 63 per cent of the registration.

## EAST SIDE OFFICIAL ACCUSED OF CHRISTMAS TREE THEFT

John B. Gray and Companion Also Charged in Warrants With Assaulting Grocer.

John B. Gray, member of the St. Clair County Board of Supervisors, was charged with theft of a \$120 Christmas tree and assault in warrants issued at East St. Louis today on complaint of Tony Cahnovsky, grocer at 520 Missouri avenue, East St. Louis.

Charged with Gray was Frank Stewart, bartender, 820 North Tenth street, East St. Louis, who, according to the warrant, attacked the grocer this morning when the latter remonstrated with the two men after they walked away with the tree from in front of the store. Cahnovsky related that, after he protested the men offered him 60 cents for the tree and hit him when he refused the offer.

Gray, recently elected to the County Board of Assessors, started a drive against gambling with a

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**WOMAN ACCUSED AS EXTORTIONIST**  
 Man Kills Estranged Wife and Sells at Clarksville, W. Va.  
 By the Associated Press.  
 CLARKSBURG, W. Va., Dec. 21.—A quarrel about a dollar to buy Christmas gifts for two of their five children led to the killing yesterday of Anthony McNear, 46 years old, of nearby Terra Alta, and his wife, Mrs. Pearl McNear, 35.  
 Coroner Leroy C. Goff said McNear fired four shots into Mrs. McNear's body and sent another into

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 HELD with her husband at Little Rock, Ark., after a San Francisco salesman told Federal officers he had paid \$5000 to her on threats of "exposure and arrest for taking her across a State line." The salesman said he met the woman, who was begging rides, in Idaho and carried her into California.

**UNION REFUSES CONCESSIONS; ORPHEUM, SHUBERT TO CLOSE**  
 Stagehands Disapprove Changes Proposed by Fanchon & Marco to Reduce Expenses.  
 Employees of the Orpheum and Shubert theaters were notified yesterday that those houses would be closed in the next two weeks, following the failure of the Fanchon & Marco management to obtain concessions from the Stagehands' Union which would enable the houses to reduce operating expenses.  
 Both houses, taken over by Fanchon & Marco from Warner Bros. last spring, have failed to make money as first-run theaters and the Fanchon & Marco offer, it is understood, was to reduce the requirement of four stagehands and one maintenance man at each to two stagehands and one maintenance man at the Shubert and one maintenance man at the Orpheum.  
 A change in policy would be instituted, with the Orpheum as a second-run theater and the Shubert as combined first and second run. Closing day for the Orpheum is set for Jan. 3 and the Shubert Jan. 7.

**JAPANESE STUDENT COMMENTS ON INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS**  
 Woman Attending Washington U. Says U. S. and Orientals Are Getting More Friendly.  
 The American attitude toward the Japanese is growing more friendly in spite of "yellow peril" propaganda, in the opinion of Miss Fumiko Fukuoaka, 30-year-old Japanese social worker, who is attending Washington University.  
 Miss Fukuoaka will return to St. Luke's Hospital at Tokyo to continue her work against trachoma in the slums when she has completed her studies made possible by a fellowship from the National Society for the Prevention of Blindness. Since 1931 she has been a student at the University of Southern California at Los Angeles and she will return there in February to write her thesis for a master of arts degree.  
 Her subject will be co-operative efforts of Southern California Japanese during the period of the economic depression.

**Movie Time Table**  
**AMBRASADOR**—"Hid e a w ay Girl," with Martha Raye, Shirley Ross and Robert Cummings, at 11:05, 1:51, 4:24, 7:40 and 9:56; stage show at 1:03, 3:36, 6:52 and 9:08.  
**FOX**—Barbara Stanwyck and Joel McCrea in "Banjo on My Knee," at 2:32, 6 and 9:35; "Career Woman," at 12:30, 4:25 and 8.  
**LOEW'S**—"Born to Dance," starring Eleanor Powell with James Stewart and Virginia Bruce, at 10:15, 12:30, 2:45, 5:15 and 9:38.  
**MISSOURI**—"Bengal Tiger," with Barton MacLane and June Travis, at 3, 6 and 8:55; "The Man Who Lived Twice," at 1, 4, 7:05 and 9:55.  
**ORPHEUM**—Bing Crosby and Madge Evans in "Pennies From Heaven," at 11:05, 2:10, 5:10 and 8:15; "Three Men on a Horse," at 12:35, 3:35, 6:40 and 9:45.  
**SHUBERT**—"The President's Mystery," with Henry Wilcoxon and Betty Furness, at 1, 3:50, 6:40 and 9:40; "Hearts in Bondage," at 2:44, 6:30 and 9:30.  
**ST. LOUIS**—"The Big Broadcast of 1937" (second run), at 3, 5:57, 8:54 and 9:51; stage show at 2:30, 6:04 and 9:01; preview at 8:15.

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NEW YORK STOCK MARKET CORPORATE BONDS STOCK MARKET EARNINGS AND DIVIDENDS

By the Associated Press. NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—Total bond sales today on the New York Stock Exchange amounted to \$12,740,000, compared with \$10,455,000 Saturday, 1937, a week ago and \$13,843,000 a year ago. Total sales from Jan. 1 to date were \$3,470,338,000, compared with \$3,285,547,000 a year ago and \$3,833,734,000 a year ago.

Following is a complete list of transactions giving sales, high, low and closing prices:

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT BONDS									
Treasury									
High	Low	Security	High	Low	Security	High	Low	Security	High
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NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—Operations in the steel industry for the week ended on Christmas day were placed by the Department of Agriculture today at over 600,000,000 bushels, compared with 79.2 per cent of capacity, the American Iron & Steel Institute estimated today.

A month ago operations averaged 79.2 per cent of capacity while a year ago the rate was 49.5 per cent.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 21.—The magazine "Steel" yesterday was provided by the American Iron & Steel Institute with two points to 73 1/2 per cent last week with producers under pressure to turn out tonnage booked in advance.

Operations in the steel industry advanced 80 per cent; Eastern Pennsylvania one point to 50 1/2; Cleveland two points to 76 1/2; and 98, and St. Louis 12 to 50.

England down 14 to 77. Other countries unchanged. The rate of exchange was 1.25 for the dollar.

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Hawaii Attorney-General Dies.  
By the Associated Press.  
HONOLULU, Dec. 21.—William B. Pittman, 60 years old, Attorney-General of Hawaii, died yesterday after a long illness. He was the

brother of United States Senator Key Pittman of Nevada. Pittman was one of two attorneys who successfully defended five Hawaiians and Orientals five years ago against charges of assaulting Mrs. Thalia Fortescue Massie.

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## U. S. TREASURY REPORTS GAIN OF \$164,000,000 SINCE JULY 1

Income Taxes and Liquor Revenues Account for \$135,000,000 of Amount.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—The Treasury reports a \$164,000,000 gain on the income side of its ledger since July 1. For the first five months of this fiscal year its receipts totaled \$1,385,767,000, compared with \$1,221,786,000 in the corresponding period last year.

Gains were shown in 55 of the 73 categories of taxation. Leading the upswing were income taxes, which totaled \$413,963,000 between July 1 and Nov. 30, an increase of \$86,535,000. Of the income tax receipts, \$238,918,000 came from corporations and \$174,944,000 from individuals.

The next largest gain was in liquor tax revenues, which, at \$268,806,000, were \$47,417,000 above the same period last year.

Others included: Tobacco taxes, \$235,128,000, gain of \$24,020,000; gasoline, \$90,019,000, gain of \$4,701,000; automobiles, \$21,551,000, gain of \$7,546,000; tires and inner tubes, \$16,984,000, gain of \$3,732,000; telephone and other communications, \$9,921,000, gain of \$1,093,000.

Officials said receipts supported their estimates that revenues for this fiscal year would aggregate \$5,642,760,000. This total would compare with \$4,115,956,000 last year and \$3,790,045,000 in 1934-35.

## U. M. W. A TO SEEK 6-HOUR DAY AND INCREASED WAGE

Mine Representatives Meet at West Frankfort—Draft Resolutions for Scale Committee.

### CHANGES IN EXISTING CONTRACT LISTED

Proposals Based on Demands Approved by Old Ben Local Union—Tri-County Meeting Jan. 3.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WEST FRANKFORT, Ill., Dec. 21.—Committees were named at a meeting of local United Mine Workers of America representatives here yesterday to draft resolutions setting up rank and file demands of Southern Illinois members for incorporation in a new wage agreement with the operators.

The resolutions, directed to the scale committee of the union, will demand a six-hour day and a substantial increase in wages, according to Fern Evert, sub-district president.

Demands will be approved at a tri-county meeting of miners to be held here Jan. 3. All local unions in Franklin, Williamson and Saline Counties will be asked to send delegates to the meeting. The existing contract expires April 1.

Ed Rich, Franklin County union leader, presided at the meeting which brought forth the first rank and file expression of the contract demands of the miners.

Provisions of Resolution. A resolution approved last week by local union 1246 of Old Ben mine No. 15, advocating various changes in the existing contract was the basis of discussion at the meeting here.

The demands approved by the Old Ben local union are:

That the basic wage scales of the Jacksonville agreement be re-established with a substantial increase applied thereon.

That all watchmen shall be under the jurisdiction of the United Mine Workers of America.

That the loading of coal with machines shall be paid on a tonnage basis that will give justice to all parties concerned.

That not less than two men shall operate a coal cutting and electric drilling machine.

That not more than six hours' work per day per person at their working place shall be permitted except in cases of emergency and weekly pays.

Provision for Double Time. That time and one-half shall be paid all overtime and double time for Sundays and legal holidays.

That electric and portable lamps, commonly known as "bug lamps," shall be furnished free to the mine workers.

That the Pit Committee shall have the right where only one is employed by the mine workers, to go around the mine if he so desires, providing when doing so it is for the general interest of the members he serves.

That the wage scale for electric welders shall be \$7.50 per day, and that the wages of blacksmith and blacksmith helper at the shaft mines shall be the same as those paid at the strip mines.

That a wage scale be made for locomotive firemen when employed around the mines and employed by various coal companies. Locomotive firemen employed as above are now under the jurisdiction of the United Mine Workers of America.

That all persons employed in and around the coal mines of Illinois, with the exception of mine managers, mine managers' assistants, not to exceed three in Class A mines, top foremen, body drivers, motor bosses, head machinists, head carpenters and head electricians shall be under the jurisdiction of the United Mine Workers of America.

That all mine workers under the jurisdiction of the United Mine Workers of America shall be given a two weeks' vacation with pay each year.

### ROBBER WAITS ON CUSTOMER DURING OIL STATION HOLDUP

Motorist Is Officer of Company; His Suspicion Causes Fear to Flee.

One of two robbers who had bound the arms and legs of a filling station attendant at 2208 Olive street last night sold gasoline to an officer of the company who arrived during the holdup. When the customer became suspicious and asked for the regular attendant, the robber shouted a warning and he and his companion fled with \$26 they had taken from the cash register.

The intruders, one with drawn revolver, entered the Milton Oil Co. station about 9 o'clock and ordered Everett Gregory, the employee, to a back room, where they tied him. While they were still in the room, Charles M. Reeves, 4545 Lindell boulevard, drove up to a pump. Before paying his bill, Reeves saw the man waiting on him was a stranger.

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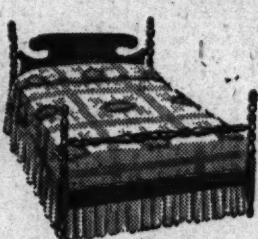
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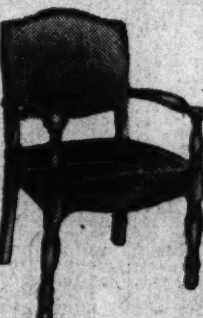
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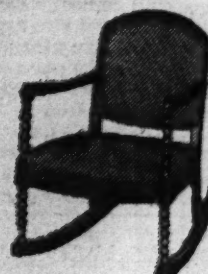
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### Child's Rocker "Like Mother's"

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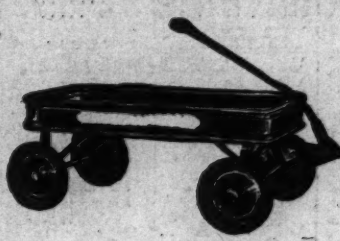
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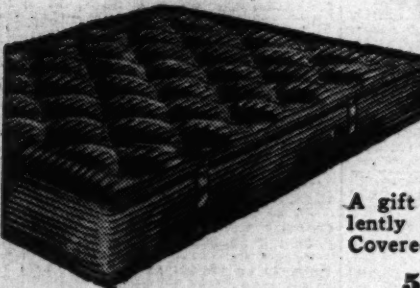


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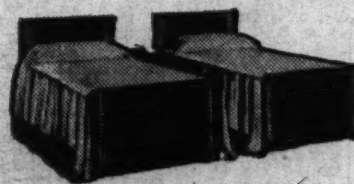
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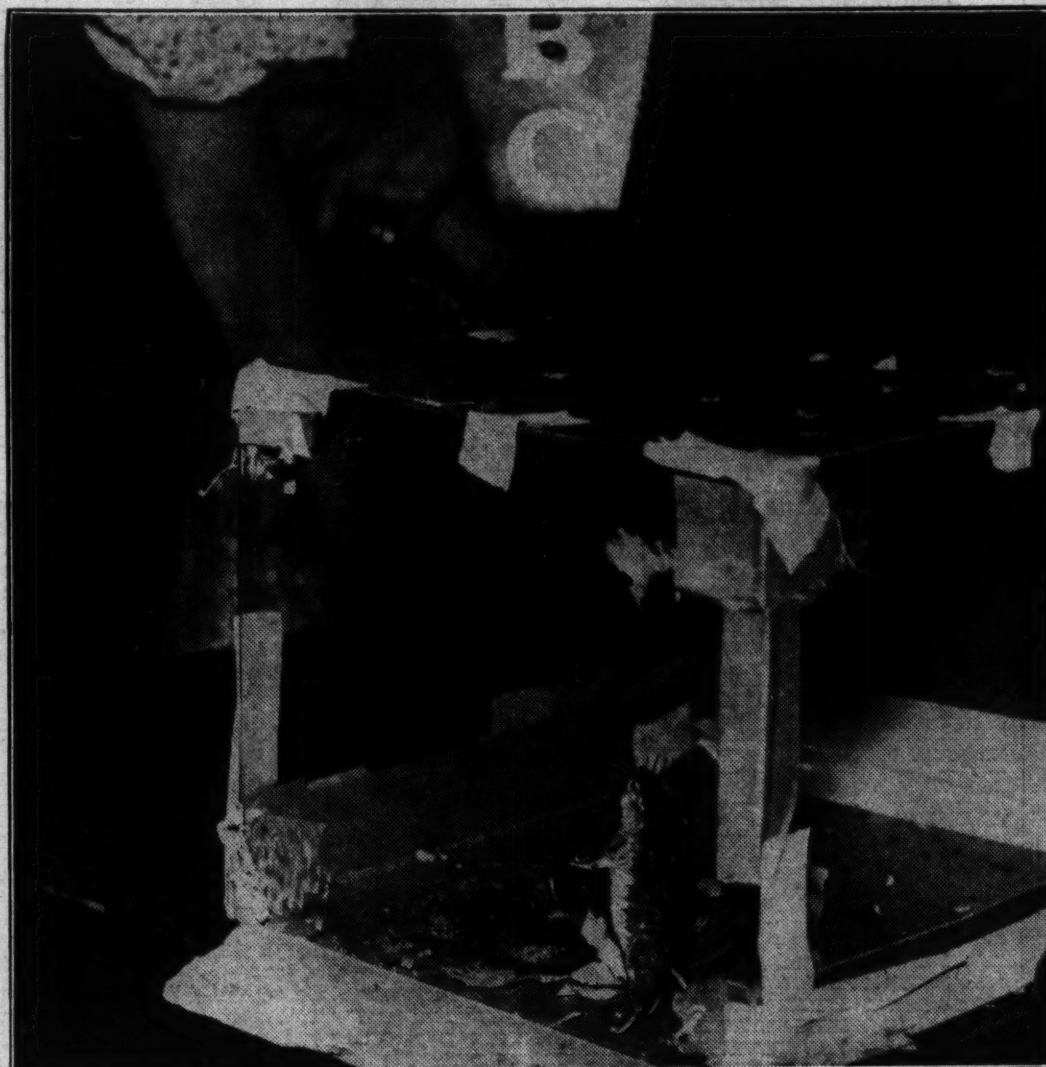
## HAT OF HUMAN HAIR



Mowita Castenada, screen player, wearing a hat created for her by Max Factor, Hollywood hair stylist.

—Associated Press photo.

## WHEN MOUSE MADE RADIO DEBUT



Minnie, the singing mouse of Woodstock, Ill., pictured while appearing on a network program from Chicago.

## GETTING FEED BOX INFORMATION?



Wendy Barrie, film star, visiting at Santa Anita racetrack in Arcadia, Cal., prior to its winter opening on Christmas afternoon.

## METROPOLITAN'S NEW CONTRALTO



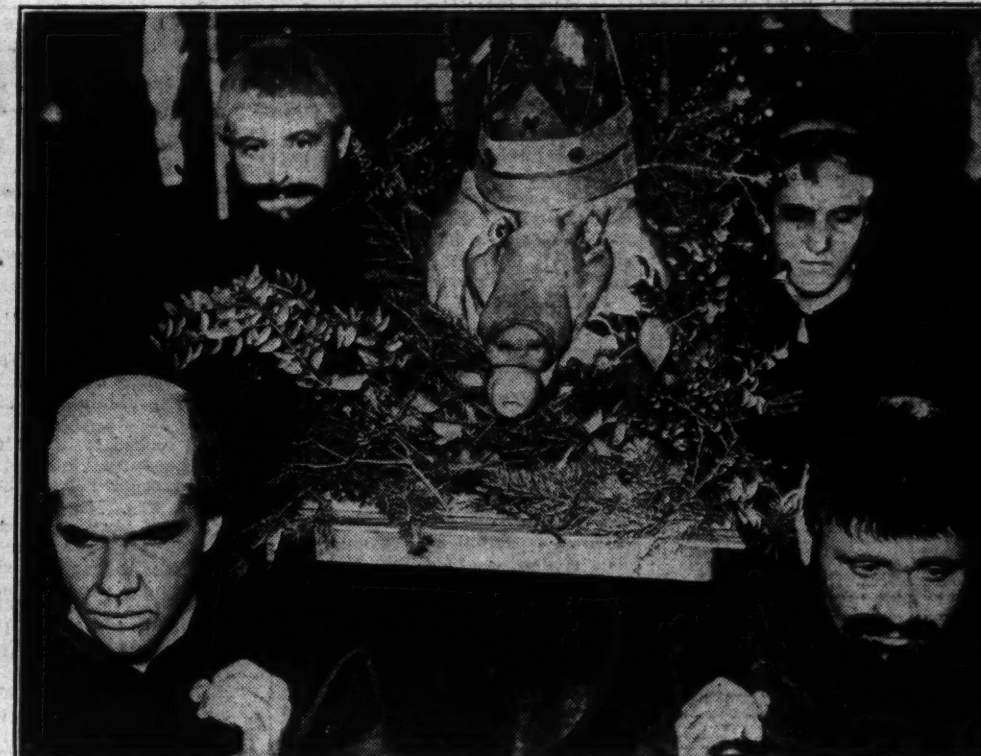
Kerstin Thorborg, of Sweden, being congratulated by Edward Johnson, general manager of the Metropolitan Opera Association, after her first rehearsal of "Die Walkure," in which she will make her American debut tonight.

## DIME NOVELS COLLECTED AS HOBBY



By Charles Bragin, retired business man of Brooklyn, N. Y. He refused an offer of \$1000 for a collection of 191 copies of the Frank Reade Library.

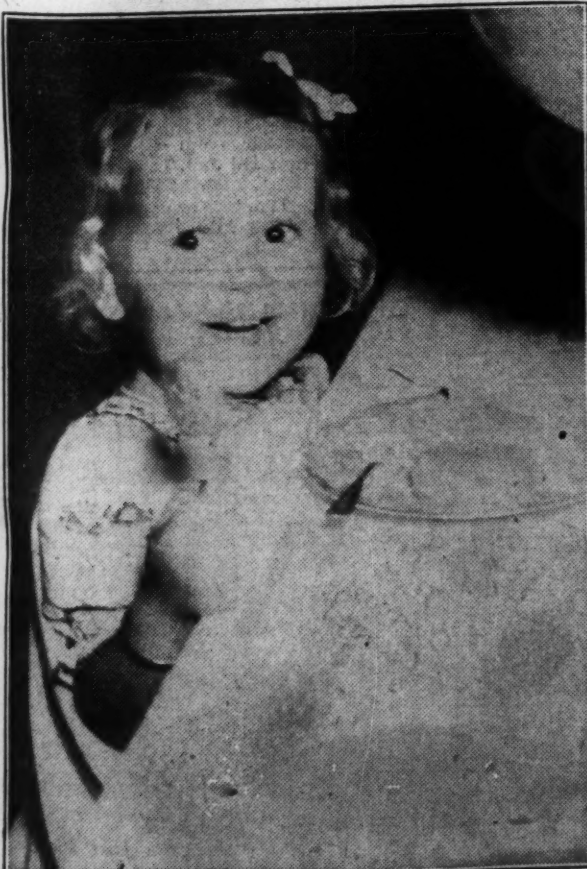
## FOLLOWING AN OLD ENGLISH CUSTOM



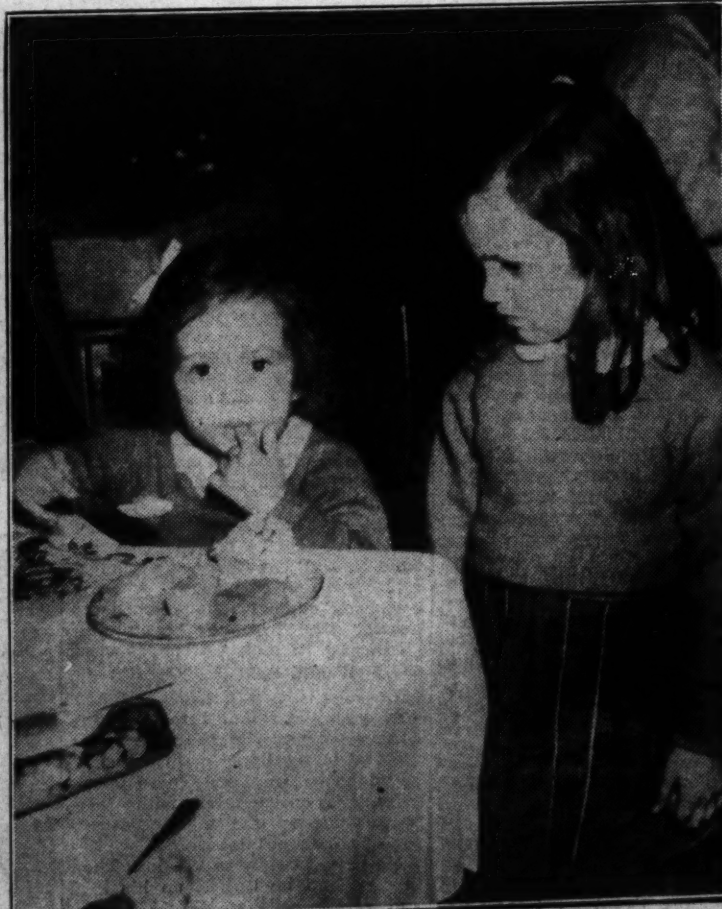
The "break up" dinner pageant staged before the Christmas vacation by cadets at St. John's Military Academy at Delafield, Wis. Garbed as monks, the cadets are carrying in the boar's head.

—Associated Press photo.

## CHRISTMAS PARTY AT ST. LOUIS WOMAN'S CLUB



For guests under seven years old. Joan Seep, of Denver, who is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Edwin H. Wagner, smiles happily at the thought of cake, ice cream and a lollypop.

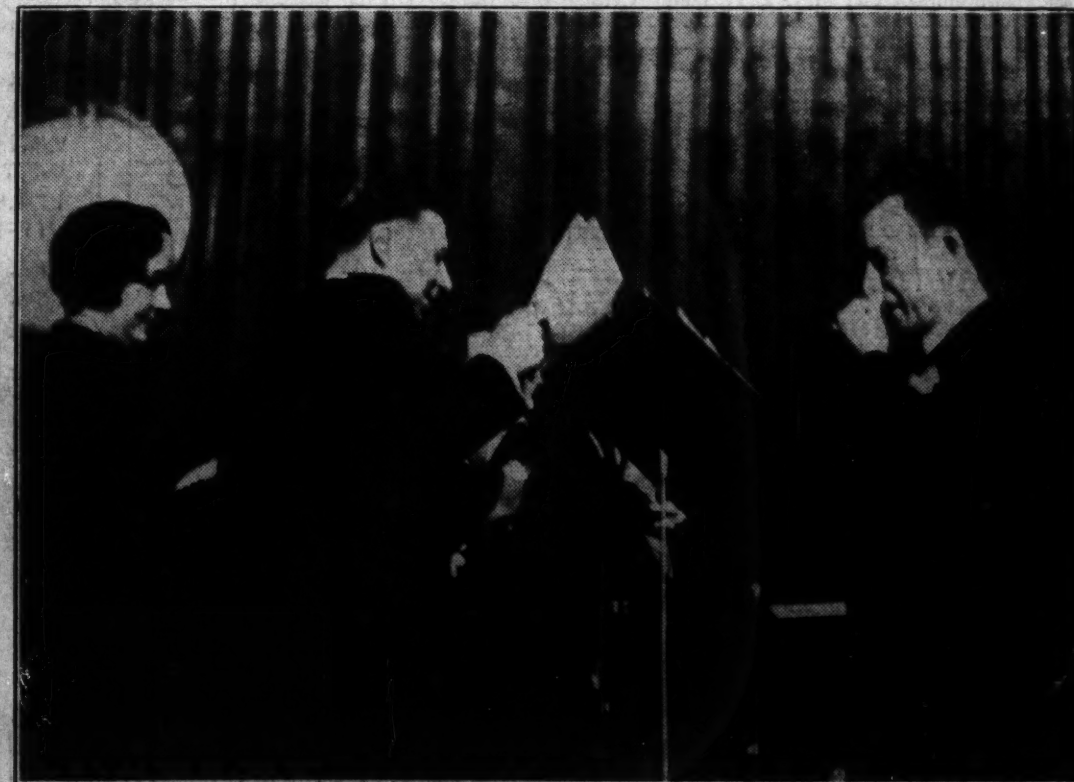


Ann and Sally Rubicam, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Rubicam Jr.



Dick Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Whipple Van Ness Jones.

## RADIO COMEDIAN KNOWS WHEN JOKE DOESN'T CLICK



Fred Allen, right, may have detected an off-note somewhere in the dialogue at the moment a cameraman, sitting among spectators, got this picture. In the center, with his back partly to camera, is Announcer Harry Vonzell, taking his turn at acting with the Mighty Allen Art Players.

—Associated Press photo.

## WELL, I'LL TELL YOU—By BOB BURNS

WHEN I hear people ravin' about how lucky we are that we live in this generation where the scientists have germs under control, I don't say nothin'. Personally, I think we are as hale and hearty today as our antestors used to be. I got off of a train in a little town in Arkansas and I saw a parade comin' and I asked a native, "What's all the excitement about?" and he says "Well, they're celebratin' the birthday of our oldest inhabitant. She's one hundred and eleven years old. There she comes now,

leadin' the parade." Well Sir, here comes this old lady, prancin' and keepin' time with the music. She was jest as straight as a stick and she was havin' the time of her life. I asked this man, I says "Who in the world is that little, old, dried up, weazen-faced, bent-over, old man, walkin' along side of her?" and the fella says "Why, that's her son-in-law. He ain't old, he jest looks old. He's been keepin' up her insurance for the past forty-two years."

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**TODAY**  
(Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.)  
After 1900 Years.  
Old Slaves Meet.  
Avoid Inspissated  
Gloom.  
That Word Impossible.

**By Arthur Brisbane**

CHRISTMAS is near; 1900 years have passed since Christ said, "Whosoever shall offend one of these little ones that believe in Me, it is better for him that a millstone be hanged about his neck and he be cast into the sea, and the richest of the 'Christian' nations is still 'talking' about eliminating filthy unclean tenement slums.

"God may forgive you for not giving bread to the children, but He will not forgive you for depriving them of His sunlight and air which are free." That was said nearly 100 years ago, but, unfortunately, sunlight and air are not "free" at present real estate prices and taxes.

On Christmas eve, in Atlanta, Ga., the twenty-first annual celebration of the Ex-Slave Association will take place. No young people are in that association; slavery ended more than 70 years ago.

The aged former slaves talk chiefly about the fine "big houses" in which they lived before Lincoln freed them, and they mention one fact that should be remembered about slavery. The slave owner was forbidden to teach slaves to read; for knowledge might make them rebellious. What applied to black slaves 70 years ago applies now to many who may be able to read, but not able to THINK. Those interested in keeping them quiet dislike anyone who teaches them to think.

Mr. Eden, English Foreign Secretary, finds a pleasing word, new to many. He tells the House of Commons not to spoil the holiday season by a mood of inspissated gloom.

That word, which comes from the Latin "spissus," meaning "thick," Mr. Eden should have tried on Mussolini when the Ethiopian war began. Sometimes one word, if strange enough, has great psychological effect. You remember the learned Englishman who happened on an abusive fishwife's flow of words by calling her an "isocetes-parallelogram" or some such offensive scientific term.

For a while nothing will save the Archbishop of Canterbury from "inspissated gloom" at this Christmas season.

Imagine his hearing a man like H. G. Wells refer to the established Church of England as a "dingy institution" and suggest that it be abolished.

And, think of the distinguished Archbishop reading in Time and Tide the statement by Rebecca West, a sprightly English writer, that after the Bishop's sermons she felt "it was time Christians were persecuted again."

**In Memory  
A Girl Who  
Lost Her Way**

"But Her Level-Eyed Brand  
of Bravery Was There to  
the End."

**By Elsie Robinson**

ROSE is dead. Never mind her last name—it's known, all too well, in one great city.

Tiny, merry, debonaire, exultant as a bit of Pragonard fluff, Rose quivered it there such a short time ago—clicking jeweled heels down moonlit midnight streets—peacocking through plush-lined lobbies. Now—a suicide—she lies in some merciful darkness, safe from the wagging tongues.

Poor little Rose! They'll be saying she wasted her life. Tell of the youth and beauty, the money and romance, she threw away, and the horror that came on her before this morning's dreadful end.

Yes, they'll be saying all that, as they always do of those who have lost their way. But I'm thinking of the woman I knew—

We'd met in one of those night-club moments that come to such reckless ones. No play-acting about this—her life was in real and ghastly danger. Across her face, from diamonded ear to rose petal chin, a bloody welt. About her throat, four purpling smears. And, trailing from one shoulder, the rags of a sequined gown.

YET there she stood, chin up; eyes white and dry—contemptuously unafraid. And, in some baffling way, completely detached. This thing was happening to her—but it wasn't happening IN her.

Always I was to see her like that. Through all the chaos which marked the chancey trail she'd chosen there was something in her which managed to hold itself apart. Not consciously. Not, perhaps even in spite of herself—an unshaken core of sanity, simplicity and sweetness. And incredible courage.

Queer—to see that level-eyed, two-gun brand of bravery in a soft little girl like that! But there it was—down to the end.

A eulogy? No. She'd be the last one to want one—the first one to hoot at one. She chose her lot, for whatever it was worth, and wasted no time in sentimentalizing over herself thereafter.

**SKYWAY LOVERS**

A New Serial Story in Which an Air Hostess Heads the Characters



CHAPTER ONE.  
THE red-headed girl bent over the huge box of orchids, each carefully packed in cotton. "One, two, three—" she counted the gorgeous purple blossoms. A hundred dollars' worth of glowing luxury. As she put them, one by one, carefully into the huge lighted refrigerator of the Park Avenue flower shop this Easter morning, Alison Thayer fought to keep the tears back from her green eyes.

Tears of fatigue, they were. Saturday night she had worked faithfully that some pretty girls could open a box of flowers this Easter morning, glance carelessly at the card and the blossoms and then go off to church properly arrayed.

Alison's lower lip trembled. Mr. Propkior had telephoned at 7 a. m. The other girl was ill. Would Alison please stand in for her this morning until he could get in from Long Island?

It did not seem to the girl she had been in bed more than an hour when his call came. But she got wearily into her clothes, did not even put a dab of powder on her nose. The shop was open at 9, promptly. It was always she who worked the extra hours, took the longest shifts.

Business was rushing for the first two hours. Alison's cheeks were pale. Half of Park Avenue seemed to have forgotten an important flower purchase. If church time would only come maybe she could have a little respite. For Propkior should be in by noon.

**Style Note**

The "alkonette" evening gown of net or starched chiffon over a satin or taffeta sheath is the best of the younger set for the coming holiday festivities, and its eminence is rivaled only by the pencil-line dress of shining lace.

**Some Rules  
for Conduct  
in Daily Life**

By Martha Carr

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**ROOM AND BOARD**

By Gene Ahern

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# On Broadway

By Walter Winchell

The Private Papers of a Cub Reporter.

LAST week's Literary Digest took up the career of Variety, celebrating its 31st Anniversary, and paid tribute to its late founder, Sime Silverman, who left us only a few years ago. It said, among other things, "Walter Winchell, when starting his career as a columnist, often went to Silverman for advice." We wish the Literary Digest editor had asked us about that. So that we might have said: "Yes, and we always got it, too." Money, for instance, when it was needed quickly. . . . Comforting, when the going was rough, and for dozens of months—his front page leading story—to make our column appear "in the know." . . . The story which he bannered across his front page many a Wednesday appeared here the day previous—with his good wishes.

It was through Mr. Silverman, too, that we met another good friend—Texas Guinan. . . . Some of the breezier quips during the prohibition era came via Guinan or her charmed circle. . . . For arranging the meeting, Sime was knocked cold on 45th Street for the first time in his life—!—because of us. "What have you against Texas Guinan?" he asked us one evening. "Nothing against her, at all," we said, "but a reporter was thrown down a flight of stairs by her friends, so I—" . . . When he learned we hadn't met her, he brought us to her night club where she explained that the reporter had aimed a loaded pistol at patrons, so the bouncers gave him the bum's rush. . . . Because he detested "being on the cuff" (taking meals or drinks for nothing) Sime insisted on paying a \$50 check. . . . A dear pal of his, who was also also insisted on paying it. . . . They argued long about it, but Sime finally won out and paid it. . . . Downstairs the pal let one go from the pavement and Sime stayed there. . . . His staff never learned what happened—because he suggested. . . . His socking pal and Sime were reconciled next day.

The friendship which lasted 13 years—a Broadway miracle—started when we served The Vaudeville News, hardly a rival theatrical paper, for it was the Keith Circuit's house organ. . . . But Variety and that paper's sponsor, the late E. F. Albee, clashed bitterly. . . . Despite the ill feeling between them—Sime Silverman was hospitable to Glenn Condon, the editor of The Vaudeville News and this columnist. . . . When we shifted jobs—the Variety boss gave us a key to his private offices to use them as we liked. . . . There may have been a few others who enjoyed that privilege. But we never heard about them.

It has been said that Leslie Howard decided to witness Gielgud's version of "Hamlet" and courteously sent Gielgud a note asking him if he minded. . . . Gielgud answered and hoped Howard wouldn't come as it would make him "terribly nervous" and might upset him. . . . Howard didn't go. . . . One report, however, insists he did—in disguise. . . . Times change. Not many years ago the favorite sightseeing for tourists was in this order: 1. The Aquarium. 2. The Brooklyn Bridge. 3. The Statue of Liberty. 4. The Ghetto. . . . Today, according to the tourist guides the tourist prefers: 1. Radio City. 2. The Washington Bridge. 3. The Empire State Bldg. 4. Cathedral of St. John the Divine.

## Let's Explore Your Mind

By Albert Edward Wiggam, D. SC.

**AUTHOR'S NOTE:** Answers are from the scientific viewpoint. Science puts the rights of organized society above the rights of individuals.

—Certainly they are. Clarence Buddington Kelland brings this out in his story of Nadia Horn, who is a much greater social success than her mother, Ruth. The mother in her day had also been beautiful but, as the author says, "She had not ceased to be a competitor for admiration. It was not pleasant for such a woman to have grown up under her eyes a girl more beautiful than she, cleverer, more vivid, more sought after than she had been even in her heyday. . . . Her words (to her daughter) were even coated with frost of hatred." I rather think many mothers who have never developed into genuine emotional maturity, and still seek the thrills of girlhood, experience this jealousy either consciously or unconsciously.

—A noted writer on advertising says that the moment advertising is "written down" to catch the low-brow customer, this is the very thing that loses him. He thinks advertising should always appeal to the finest taste, honesty, sense of refined humor and sensitiveness to excellence and beauty of the high-brow, because it will then be sure to appeal to the low-brow simply because there is a lot of high-brow in all low-brows.

**ARE MOTHERS SOMEHOW JEALOUS OF BEAUTIFUL DAUGHTERS?**  
1. YES OR NO.

**IS THERE A GOOD DEAL OF HIGH BROW IN EVERY LOW BROW?**  
2. YES OR NO.

**DOES EVERYBODY'S MIND FREQUENTLY GO ABSOLUTELY BLANK?**  
3. YES OR NO.

—This is the contention, supported by experiment, of Prof. Arthur G. Bills, psychologist. He rigged up a machine somewhat like a typewriter, only the keys represented colors—red, green, blue, etc. The person was required to strike the proper key when its color was flashed on a moving tape. He found that every few seconds the most intelligent persons could not for a moment tell the name of a color right before their eyes. In fact, the mind, he concluded, works in dots and dashes, with blank rests between just as the heart rests between beats. (Copyright, 1938.)

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MONDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1938.

# DAILY MAGAZINE

## COOK-COOS

By TED COOK

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SENTIMENTAL STANZAS.



When we—ah, me!—were very young,  
What simple joys were ours!  
We girls drank claret lemonade  
Instead of whisky sours.

Our jewelry consisted of  
A topaz lavalliere;  
Our stockings were Italian silk,  
The opposite of sheer.

A daring drop of lilac scent  
Our cambric hanky showed,  
And in our modest décolletage  
Was guiltily bestowed.

We wore our dancing slippers  
In a neat, embroidered bag,  
And programs antedated  
Both the cut-in and the stag.

A pale blue ribbon at the waist,  
A small one at the wrist,  
While lips that touched the  
brimming bowl  
By ours were left unkissed. . . .

So here's to tender, vanished days  
When simpler joys were ours!  
Let's drink to claret lemonade!  
Boy, two more whisky sours.  
—Ethel Jacobson.

### PRESS AGENT ITEM

Davis Factor, now in London, cables that the new Max Factor Television 'Make-Up' has been okayed by the British Broadcasting Corp. and since the problem of good makeup was the only thing holding up television there, regular broadcasts will begin immediately.

Smile from Vivienne LaFone—Uncle as a brunette in Berlin.

ATTENTION, SADISTS!  
(Personal—Sat. Review)

SOUTHERN GIRL, recently jilted, desires diverting correspondence. Box 662-B.



Little Willie, in a sweat,  
Weighed sixty pounds, all dripping wet.  
Ma said, "Will, if this gets worse,  
You'll soon be thin as Father's purse."  
—Harry Sosnik.

WHAT ABOUT HANDIES?  
(Personal—Sat. Review)

CHICAGO COUPLE with cultivated sister-in-law and aesthetic friend (male) wish to meet one or two kinspirits not interested in drinking, bridge, backgammon or outdoor sports. Box 642-B.

Simile—  
Bored as an undergraduate  
swing-addict studying ancient history.

Mme. Rubinstein, beauty expert, says that women will soon tattoo

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## Menu for Luncheon

By Gladys T. Lang

**TOMATO AND ANCHOVY CANAPE**  
GLORIFIED MIXED GRILL  
GRAHAM PLUM MUFFINS  
FRENCH FRIED POTATO BALLS  
BUTTERSCOTCH CUSTARD  
BUTTER WAFERS

Select tomatoes about two inches in diameter and slice. Cut bread the same size and saute in olive oil. Spread with creamed butter seasoned with a little curry powder and salt to taste. Place a slice of tomato over the butter and four fillets of anchovy, criss crossed on the tomato. Place chopped egg whites and sifted egg yolks alternately in the open spaces and a small bunch of watercress in the center.

**GLORIFIED MIXED GRILL**  
Cover the bottom of an iron skillet with brown sugar and a generous lump of butter. When melted lay in slices of pineapple, reduce heat and let cook to a nice glaze, turning the slices from time to time. Wrap small cakes of sausage meat with bacon, holding the bacon in place with a toothpick. Place on broiler with desired number of thick lamb chops. When cooked place one sausage patty on each slice of pineapple. Remove chops to a heated platter, top each with a sauteed mushroom with edges clipped. Surround with the pineapple slices and at intervals place artichoke hearts topped with pureed peas.

**ARTICHOKE HEARTS WITH PUREED PEAS**  
Drain canned artichoke bottoms and gently simmer in butter. Cook marrow fat peas, drain and dry in a cloth. Season with salt, pepper, butter and a little heated cream and force through a tube on top of each artichoke. Run in oven to reheat.



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**GRAHAM CRACKER PLUM MUFFINS**  
Two cups graham crackers.  
Two tablespoons sugar.  
One-quarter teaspoon salt.  
Two tablespoons of butter.  
One-half cup of milk.  
Two teaspoons of baking powder.  
One egg.

Roll enough graham crackers so as to have two cups, add sugar, salt and melted butter. Heat the milk and pour over cracker mixture. Add the beaten egg, baking powder and fold in the plums which have been cut into small pieces. Bake in greased muffin pans for about 25 minutes.

**BUTTERSCOTCH CUSTARD**  
Mix one cup of brown sugar firmly packed and five level tablespoons of flour. Add two and a half cups of milk gradually and stir to a smooth mixture. Cook in a double boiler for about 20 minutes. Pour slowly over three small beaten egg yolks and then return to the double boiler and cook about three minutes longer. Remove from fire and fold in two egg whites beaten stiff but not dry with a pinch of salt. Pour into compote glasses and chill. Before serving top with rolled maple nuts.

**MAPLE NUTS**  
Melt one cup of light sugar and bring to a boil. Add one cup of shelled pecans stirring until all are coated. Pour out on a greased platter and let harden. Roll coarsely.

**BUTTER WAFERS**  
Thoroughly cream one-fourth pound of butter. Add one-half cup of sugar creaming all the while. Add the yolks of two eggs. To this mixture add enough flour to hold together. Roll out thin and cut in rounds. Paint with egg yolk and on top of each wafer sprinkle chopped blanched almonds, lemon juice and sugar. Bake quickly.

## Is Expansion Of Countries A Necessity?

By The Rev. J. F. Newton

"IN your Armistice address to the Chicago Sunday Evening Club," a reader writes, "to which some of us listened over the radio, you said some things that sorely needed saying."

"Of course you are right in saying that the old peace-movement is dead. It had plenty of sentiment, but no sense at all. Peace sentiment is not enough; we must have peace-sense."

"With your emphasis upon justice as the only real basis of peace, all will agree. But it is terribly difficult to be just, even when we want to be and try to be. It is very intricate."

"Maybe you are right in saying that four-fifths of the territory, and about the same percentage of the raw materials of the world, are controlled by a few nations; I do not know."

"If that is so, there ought to be collective action in behalf of a redistribution of territory and materials. Nations must have a chance to grow, and a spill-over from population pressure."

"To shut up any people, to hem them in, denying them an outlet, might mean an explosion. But is the Fascist talk about the 'necessity to expand' a fact, or just some more propaganda?"

"To me it is just eyewash, and the facts show it. Italy had Eritrea for 40 years, and only settled about 4000 Italians there! Can they get or make Italians live in Ethiopia?"

"Here is another little-known fact. The total population of German colonies in 1914 was about 24,000. That was less than the German population of Paris!"

"What the facts are about Japan in this respect I do not know. To be sure, the problem of access to raw materials remains, and there you are on sounder ground, for war is really economic."

Not entirely so, however. It is at least 80 per cent psychological. If people think they are being hemmed in, hobbled or handicapped, it easily creates a war-psychosis; and there you are.

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Use the kitchen scissors to cut up the tripe for pepper pot.

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Suggestion Jewelry shops in New York are showing diamond-studded orchids, gardenias set with pearls, poodles made of lacquered gold and amethysts, forget-me-nots of turquoise, and so on, as possibilities for Christmas gifts.

## Why Grow Old?

By Josephine Lowman



If you do not want to get your exercise through restlessness while sleeping, take it during the day. Lack of physical exercise is often the cause of poor sleep. If you are troubled with insomnia, put on your coat and mittens in the late afternoon, an hour before dinner, and go out in the fresh air for a brisk walk. This exercise in the open will make your eyes cool for sleep by an early bedtime. Deep, restful sleep is one of the first requirements in the adventure of staying young and lovely. Nothing so quickly steals our freshness and color as poor and scanty sleep. Try this and get the surprise of your life.

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## Grin and Bear It

By  
LIGHTY



"We're just pretending I'm the villyun and Sis is an innocent young thing."

## Believe It or Not

By Ripley



Adolescent's Complexion  
So often the adolescent boy's complexion does not come from his age, but from careless washing. If mother can catch him it would be a good thing to clean out those pores with a cleaning cream twice a week, followed by hot and cold rinsings. It sometimes makes an amazing change as a boy of that age has not taken his washing so to heart as he might—and will—later on.

## Sunflower Street

By TOM LITTLE  
and TOM SIMS



## HUMAN TORCH

By J. S. PARKER

The Daily Short Short Story

THE ancient and pulse stirring glories of the old-time vaudeville are, somehow saddeningly, nowadays overshadowed and completely driven from the scene by that blatant upstart, the jumping tinspot, or flicker, or whichever of the legion pseudonyms one might care to apply to the talking picture.

Faded are the glories of Rome, as the copybooks used to have it, and along with it is gone the ancient tradition and art first nurtured in medieval days by the traveling jongleur and acrobat, who in his itinerant life had but one desire—to divert his public to their expense and his own satisfaction.

For many years, until his eyes had grown weary of the familiar sight, Barney Braxton had been reading the handwriting on the wall, and still from force of habit he persisted in his negation of the fact that he, along with his beloved vocation, were positively and irrevocably on the skids.

Even when his booking agent began billing his solo aerial act to split weeks and long jumps from tank town to whistle stop in the sticks, Barney couldn't believe that he was nearly through. Barney still lived in the era represented by the yellowing scrapbooks bulging with press notices and clippings, most of them with glowing accounts of Ethel and Barney, "The Flying Braxtons."

Then Moe Abrams, his agent in Brooklyn, gently explained: "I know your act is good, Barney. You're one of the best aerialists in the profession. But it won't click any more, outside of maybe a circus. You know how it is, Barney. The moving pictures have got the business licked. What you've got to do is to pep up the act or find something else more spectacular."

The public is tired of just plain trapeze acts. Then Barney began to realize the horrid truth. Moe was right.

It is doubtless a hard and painful thing for a man who was once a topnotcher in the business, who could look back to the time when he had laid nonchalant claim to having occupied the next to closing spot at the Coliseum, to face the bald fact that he is, finally, what he had never thought of being—a has-been.

Traditionally, once a trouper, always a trouper. Instead of being crushed by the realization that the whole and sum result of a lifetime of work was as Dead Sea fruit, Barney jettied out his chin and went into a huddle with himself.

If the public demanded something new, something spectacular, Barney was the man to give it to them!

For weeks, while he was technically "at liberty" because Moe could find no exhibitor optimistic enough to hire an outlandish vaudeville act, Barney bent his every effort to the problem of discovering something fresh, a routine that would knock the fickle public figuratively out of their seats.

Every day that passed left as heritage fresh ashes of despair. Barney began to admit, even to himself, that the problem was too much for him. The total result of unceasing attendance at nearby fairs and exhibitions, searching for the germ of an idea, was a headache.

And then one day Barney stumbled, almost by accident, upon something which seemed to hold the promise of success. He had wandered into the Stadium, where a second-rate circus was offering its wares to a supine public, the majority of whom were there merely as escort to the kids. Barney, watching the trapeze act, derived an ironical satisfaction out of knowing that he was an immeasurably superior performer.

The acts unfolded in the old familiar routine. Barney was bored. But suddenly he was aware that something unusual was to be presented.

Into the arena attendants carried a huge tin box and placed it directly in the center of the middle ring. Barney watched as bale after bale of straw was opened and stuffed into the cubicle and sprayed liberally with gasoline. From the dressing tent strode a curious figure clad in a queer asbestos suit and helmet, whom the ringmaster

## Ned Brant at Carter—By Bob Zuppke

A Story of College Athletics.

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## Lala Palooza—By Rube Goldberg

He Gets in His Hair

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which beat with fiery hands at his body during his flight from platform to tank. And his joy was unconfined when the astute Moe wangled for them a contract which promised more money than Barney had ever made, even in his flush days.

In a gay mood Barney considered it high time to celebrate. He was on top of the world once again! All cares left behind, the old trouper went to the beach to relax. The blistering sands soothed his tired body. He fell asleep.

Three days later he passed out in the hospital—from a severe case of sunburn!

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**Steamed Carrot Pudding**

One cup grated or chopped raw carrots.

One cup grated or chopped raw potatoes.

One cup flour.

One-half cup sugar.

One-half cup raisins.

One-half cup dates, chopped.

One-half teaspoon salt.

One teaspoon cinnamon.

One teaspoon cloves.

One teaspoon soda.

Mix ingredients. Half fill a greased pudding mold (pound coffee cans will do). Cover tightly, and steam three hours. Serve hot.

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appear daily except Saturday in the Editorial Section on Page 4.

mel mixture carefully over nuts in pans. When cold, remove from pans. Spread fondant evenly on sheets of caramel, using one-half of fondant for each. Roll tightly as for jelly roll and wrap in waxed paper; let stand several hours to harden. Cut crosswise in one-quarter inch slices. Makes 64 slices.

**Crab Rarebit**

Cook two tablespoons flour in two tablespoons butter until blended, then add slowly one and one-half cups rich milk or cream and cook over boiling water until thick, stirring constantly. Season with

one teaspoon minced parsley, one-third teaspoon salt and a dash of cayenne. Add one and one-half cups flaked crabmeat and when well heated stir in one cup grated sharp cheese and one teaspoon Worcestershire sauce. As soon as the cheese is melted serve over hot buttered toast.

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By the Associated Press.  
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